TODAY'S WEATHER
RAIN IS FORECASTED FOR WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

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THE WEATHER

Rain is predicted for today and snow and colder for tomorrow by the Washington observer for Pittsburgh and vicinity. Yesterday's maximum was 44 and the minimum 39. The rainfall measured .43 of an inch. The sun rose cloudy at 7:20 and set cloudy at 5:02 yesterday. Bismarck, N. D., had 10 degrees below zero last night at 8 o'clock. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Rain.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.25	41	86	W.	Rain
8 p. m.	30.13	42	96	S. W.	Rain

Comparative temperature and precipitation for January 20:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum	44	45	Mean	42	33
Minimum	39	21	Precipitation	.43	.09
Nor. tem. 31 yrs.	31		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.11	
Excess for day	11		Excess for day	.32	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	137		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	.63	

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Rain Thursday. Friday, snow; colder; fresh south winds, becoming northwesterly.

Ohio—Rain Thursday, turning into snow in north portion; colder in central and south portions. Friday, fair and colder; fresh northeast winds, becoming northwesterly.

West Virginia—Rain Thursday and Friday; colder Friday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 o'clock last night:

Chicago	32 Rain	Indianapolis	50 Rain
Omaha	16 Snow	Kansas City	32 Rain
St. Louis	56 Rain	Washington	36 Rain
Cairo	58 Cloudy	New Orleans	64 PtCldy
Oklahoma	64 Rain	Philadelphia	32 Cloudy
Cincinnati	56 Cloudy	Denver	28 Cloudy
Louisville	58 Cloudy	Salt L. City	20 Clear
Vicksburg	66 Cloudy	St. Paul	14 PtCldy
New York	26 Cloudy	Huron	2 Clear
Buffalo	34 Snow	*Bismarck	10 Clear
Cleveland	34 Rain		

*Below zero.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Annie Russell in "Mice and Men," 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—Paula Edwardes in "Winsome Winnie," musical comedy, 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Stock Company in "Trelawney of the Wells," 2 and 8 p. m.

AVENUE—McIntyre & Heath and 14 other notable vaudeville acts; continuous performance, 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.

BIJOU—Louise Beaton in a comedy-drama, "Rachel Goldstein," 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Star vaudeville headed by the Four Lukens, 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Musical farce, "The Awakening of Mr. Pipp," 8:15 p. m.

ACADEMY—Leavitt's Rentz-Santley Co., 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating afternoon and evening.

There's Golf and Shooting

at Pinehurst throughout the winter. Reached by Southern railway. Full information at Southern railway offices or from S. H. Hardwick, G. P. A., Washington, D. C.

DEEPER RIVER IS ADVOCATED

Friends of 9-Foot Channel Argue at Washington.

PITTSBURGH'S NEED

Too Many Obstacles Between Greatest Freight-Producing District and New Orleans.

DAM NO. 3 HEARING TODAY

THE PITTSBURG GAZETTE BUREAU, Room 10, Postal Building, WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 20.

The rivers and harbors committee today gave a long hearing to those interested in the project for a nine-foot channel for the Ohio river. The largest delegation was from Cincinnati and down-river points, but Pittsburgh was well represented, and assisted in ably presenting the claims of the Ohio River Improvement association.

The morning hearing was attended by Col. Vance, president of the Ohio River Improvement association; Albert Bettinger, E. C. Gibbs, J. H. Allen, J. T. McHugh, J. M. Blair and George Puchta of Cincinnati; W. A. Patton, of Catlettsburg, Kentucky; and a number of other people interested in the improvement project. Representatives Dalzell and Porter were also present. Col. Vance appointed Mr. Bettinger to make the principal address on behalf of the association. The association at this time asks for an extension of the survey of the Ohio river from the mouth of the Big Miami to Cairo. Mr. Bettinger said that congress evidently intended that the river should be improved all the way down as it would scarcely begin a work of this magnitude and leave it but half completed. "The only objection that is raised to the improvement of the Ohio," said he, "is that it is entering upon a new project involving the expenditure of a great deal of money. We do not admit that it is a new project. It is really but proceeding with a project that has already been begun and for which congress has already appropriated a large sum."

Asks for More Dams.

He made a special plea for the construction of dams at the mouth of the big Kanawha and the mouth of the Big Sandy. Davis island dam he said was of incalculable benefit in making up tows, forming a pool available for this purpose. The first six locks and dams will be of use in the same way, as a means of storage but not affecting the depth of the channel, until all are built. Mr. Bettinger pointed out that the Soo canal in 1870 carried less than half a million tons of freight but under the improvements made by the government that tonnage had been increased 65 fold in 1880, and fourfold more in 1900. The tonnage of the Ohio river in 1900, he said, was 16,000,000 tons.

"How is it," said he, "that we have this enormous tonnage on the Ohio river when there has not been a wheel turned on that river in seven months? Think what it will be if you make the improvements that will provide a boating stage of water the entire year." He spoke of Pittsburgh as the greatest freight producing district in the world and said that there are now too many stumbling blocks between this place and New Orleans.

Mr. Bettinger was followed by J. T. McHugh, E. C. Gibbs and George Puchta of Cincinnati, Col. Posey of Evansville and W. A. Patton of Catlettsburg, Ky.

At the afternoon session addresses were made by Representatives Kehoe, Goebel, Gaines, Hughes, Morgan and Woodyard and by Capt. W. B. Rogers of Pittsburgh. Capt. Rogers said that he wanted to see the work now under way finished as soon as possible, but he would first like to have it determined whether the Ohio is to have a six or nine-foot channel. He called special attention to the need of extending the Pittsburgh harbor down to the state line, which he said would cost but little more than $350,000.

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CAR PLUNGED OVER HILLSIDE

Sixteen Persons Injured, Seven of Them Very Seriously.

NO CHANCE TO ESCAPE

Rankin's Police Force and Many Physicians Aided in Rescue Work.

SEVEN VICTIMS NOW IN MORGUE

Sixteen persons were injured, seven very seriously, by plunging with a street car over a 20-foot embankment at Rankin about 5:45 o'clock this evening. The accident is attributed to icy rails.

Car No. 376 on the Swissvale and Braddock division got beyond the control of Motorman Samuel Brown while descending the steep grade in Hawkins avenue. After striking a sharp curve at Second avenue the car left the rails and dashed over the embankment completely wrecking it and injuring every person on board. The steepness of the afternoon had softened the ground where the car landed after leaving the tracks, and the wheels sinking into the soft earth, prevented it from rolling down the hill to the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, a distance of 300 feet. The names of the injured follow:

Taken to Mercy Hospital.

SIMON CALLAHAN, aged 35, motorman; lives at 215 Fourth street, Braddock; injured on head and legs and left shoulder broken.

EDWARD FRAZER, aged 25, street car conductor, boards in Second street, Braddock; injured on head and body.

P. C. STARKIE, aged 20, conductor of the wrecked car, boards at 15 Second street, Rankin; injured on head, back and ankle.

JAMES SCOLLEN, aged 45, lives in Johnsburg; left leg broken in two places; injured on head and face.

MRS. IDA SAUNDERS, aged 30, married; lives at Duquesne; right leg broken; injured on head and body.

ALICE COSGORAN, aged 25, daughter of Mrs. Saunders, lives at Duquesne; injured on back and head.

MISS MARY M'NUTT, aged 21, living at South Wilmerding; injured on head, face and body.

Sent to Their Homes.

DANIEL GALLAGHER, aged 25, single; at Swissvale; injured on head and body.

DOMENICA DEBATICA, aged 26, single; at Keating; injured on head and body.

MATTHEW ALEXANDERINE, aged 40, lives at Keating; injured on head, right body and left arm broken.

WILLIAM HAMPSHELL, aged 42, lives at 30 Columbia avenue, Swissvale; injured on head and left leg injured.

D. G. M'CORKLE, aged 40, lives in Tenth avenue, Homestead; left leg badly bruised and injured on arms and head.

MRS. HENRY CARTER, aged 40, married; lives in Third street, Rankin; injured on head and body.

SAMUEL SHEARER, aged 46, lives in Pattersen street, Rankin; injured on left side injured.

SAMUEL BROWN, aged 28, lives in Second avenue, Braddock, motorman of the wrecked car; slightly cut on right leg and bruised on back.

JOSEPH GRAHAM, aged 28, lives in Dunleary street, Wilkinsburg; injured on back and bruised on left leg.

Plunged Over the Hillside.

Hawkins avenue ends at the edge of a steep hill at Second street. Almost straight down, fully 300 yards below, are the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. At Third street all east-bound cars stop as a safety measure before starting down the steep grade which ends at Second street. Motorman Brown, it is said, did not stop on the trip last evening and a moment after starting down the hill 100 passengers realized the car was getting away, but before they could make an effort to escape the car had left the rails and plunged over the embankment.

The heavy motors and wheels of the car sank deep into the water-soaked earth when it struck and prevented it from rolling to the bottom of the hill. The floor of the car was forced up to the top of the seats, every window was broken and the sides and roof were crushed and broken. All the passengers were thrown

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EXPLOSION IN CAMBRIA STEEL WORKS AT JOHNSTOWN, PA., KILLS 14, INJURES MORE

Total Death List Likely to Reach 40 as a Result of Disaster in No. 2 Mill Followed by Fire Which Consumes Structure and Some of the Injured Men.

[By Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 21.—[4 a. m.]—Fourteen dead and [illegible] injured as the result of an explosion at [illegible] in No. 2 mill of the Cambria Steel [illegible].

[illegible] bodies had been recovered, the injured [illegible] to the hospitals, [illegible] and left the [illegible] were [illegible] the mill.

[illegible] brought [illegible] [illegible] the explosion [illegible] the mill. The [illegible] at once [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] directly [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

the statement made by Admiral O'Neil. It seems to me that there is no occasion for congress to go into an investigation. As for Mr. Schwab's statement, that there was an understanding between the Carnegie and the Bethlehem companies regarding the price of armor, there is nothing sensational in that. If such an understanding existed it was forced upon these two companies by congress. It will be remembered that a few years ago the Illinois Steel Company made a proposition to supply armor plate at less than $300 a ton. This offer caused a great deal of discussion, but when the company was asked to stand up to their offer, it flunked entirely.

"Congress then fixed an arbitrary price of $300 per ton for armor plate, and the Carnegie and Bethlehem companies were called into conference and asked to furnish armor at that price. This they positively refused to do, and after a great deal of talk they finally consented to accept a price of $420 a ton, plus the royalties. Then the action of congress was changed to conform to this new price, and since that time this has been the rate that the government has paid. Under these circumstances it is not queer that both companies bid the same price, which was the maximum fixed by congress."

L. W. STRAYER.

JOHN FERNAU ELECTED FOR HIS SIXTH TERM

District Assembly No. 3, K. of L., Holds Its Annual Meeting.

District assembly No. 3, Knights of Labor, held its annual meeting yesterday in the headquarters of the association, 535 Smithfield street. The meeting closed by electing the following officers:

JOHN FERNAU.

Master workman, John Fernau, L. A. 1374; worthy foreman, James Roden, L. A. 1577; recording and financial secretary, M. W. Williams, L. A. 1374; executive board, J. J. Millan, J. L. Frank, E. T. Maloney, James Hughes, A. J. Hurney and J. O. Flinn, and trustees, John Foxley, A. J. Hurney and John Millan.

It was decided that the scales of the curb and flagstone setters and helpers' assembly and the pavers and rammers assembly, expire on the same date. To bring this about the curb setters have prepared a new scale. It calls for the same wages, but contains some new conditions. It provides that for all new specifications within a limit of 25 miles of Pittsburgh the scale shall be 12 cents per foot or 50 cents per hour. The old scale only affected Pittsburgh, Allegheny and Wilkinsburg. The district assembly ratified the new scale.

The election of John Fernau as master workman puts him in that position for his sixth year.

GEO. H. ANDERSON WINS FOR OHIO IMPROVEMENT

Prevents National Board of Trade Recalling a Resolution. Speech by Dr. Holland.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The project for the improvement of the Ohio river was today approved by the national board of trade, after a very lively fight. It was the only proposition for the improvement of internal waterways that received the recommendation of that body, all the others being rejected on the ground that they were local matters. A motion was then made to annul the action. George H. Anderson of Pittsburgh made a strong speech in which he threatened that if this motion passed, the western delegates would withdraw from the meeting. He said this action on this project had been unanimous and for the meeting to retract that action would be unreasonable. The debate was long and heated, and at the end the vote stood 29 to 29. The chairman cast the deciding ballot in favor of Ohio river improvement.

Dr. W. J. Holland, director of the Carnegie institute, spoke at some length in favor of higher commercial education and in support of the resolution submitted by the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce, which urges a course of study for higher commercial education. A resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of the national board to enter into correspondence with the leading educational institutions of the country with a view to awakening their interest in this subject, was adopted.

A resolution favoring consular reform legislation was adopted.

These officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. J. Sullivan, Cleveland, first vice president, C. S. Hamlin, Boston; second vice president, George M. Johnson, Milwaukee; treasurer, H. Tucker, Philadelphia. Among the members of the council named was George H. Anderson of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce.

During the afternoon the delegates were received at the White House by the president. The presentations were made by Secretary Cortelyou, of the department of commerce and labor.

L. W. STRAYER.

Harrison Children Protest.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Col. Russell B. Harrison and his sister, Mrs. Mary Harrison McKee, today filed a trust against the acceptance by the probate commissioner of the report recently filed by the Union Trust Company, the latter being the executor under Mr. Harrison's will. Col. Harrison and Mrs. McKee object particularly to the manner in which the provision in the will regarding the trust fund of the widow is being carried out.

Great Gorge Grows Threatening.

LOGANSPORT, IND., Jan. 20.—Lives of 3,000 people are endangered and property to the value of $300,000 is threatened as a result of an immense ice gorge which is forming in the Wabash river above this city.

Woman Kills Her Son.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Mrs. Anna Oswald of Oakland, N. J., driven insane by sheer loneliness, today slew her 8-year-old boy by severing his head from his body with a butcher knife.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, Jan. 20.

New York—Princess Irene, from Naples; Armenian, from Liverpool; Kronland, from Antwerp; Lombardia, from Genoa.

London—Luxor, from San Francisco.

Naples—Prinz Oskar, from New York.

Nantucket Light—Amsterdam, from Rotterdam (for New York).

Sailed, Jan. 20.

New York—Deutschland, for Genoa; Castel, for Naples; Pretoria, for Liverpool; California, for Mediterranean; Celtic, for Liverpool.

Lizard—Vaderland, for Antwerp (from New York); La Savoie, from New York (for Havre).

Brow Head—Celtic, from New York (for Queenstown).

Liverpool—Majestic, from New York.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

DIED.

HIGHGATE—On Wednesday evening, January 20, 1902, at 10:30 o'clock, Mrs. SUSAN A. HIGHGATE, at the family residence, Morgan street, Thirteenth ward, aged 60 years. Notice of funeral later.

JAPANESE HOLD WAR COUNCILS

Peace Talk Does Not Cause Empire to Relax Preparations.

RUSSIAN TROOPS ARE ACTIVE

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, Jan. 20.—With patience the Japanese government is awaiting the reply of Russia to her last note. This does not mean that the government has relaxed in the least its preparations for war. The new war councils hold frequent sessions, and every detail of a quick, aggressive campaign is being worked out and improved, transports, convoy and war stores are all ready, and the selection of troops and commanders has been made.

Whatever the official opinion may be, the people here who are not in the confidence of the ministry are as firmly convinced that war is at hand as they ever have been. The peace talk from St. Petersburg has made absolutely no impression here. It is popularly regarded as an effort to throw Japan off her guard.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—So contradictory are the reports reaching here concerning the situation in the far east that it is difficult to form any adequate idea as to what the outlook really is. First comes a report that Russia has decided to grant practically all of Japan's demands, and almost immediately followed by an equally circumstantial report that Russia can make no further concessions. Equally conflicting are the reports concerning the nature of Japan's last note.

Reply to Japan Delayed.

Neither Russia nor Japan has relaxed efforts to strengthen their land and sea forces in the far east; Russia still has Japan's latest note under advisement and has sent no formal reply to it. It is believed in well-informed circles here that the Russian reply to Japan will be in Tokyo not later than Monday. Then there will be something definite.

Lord Lansdowne's reception at the foreign office today was attended by almost all the ambassadors and ministers in London, including the American, Russian, Japanese, German and French representatives.

The foreign office has reason to believe that Russia is willing to concede practically all Japan's demands but that she cannot see her way to make a treaty with Japan recognizing in black and white China's sovereignty over Manchuria. Russia has approached Great Britain to urge Japan to forego this stipulation and to accept in lieu thereof the assurances to the same end already given to the other powers. It is pointed out at the foreign office that Great Britain being such an interested party is in a difficult position and can scarcely recommend such a course to her ally.

Russia Concentrating Troops.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 20.—The first exchange of views between the foreign office, Viceroy Alexieff and Baron De Rosen, the Russian minister to Japan, on the Japanese reply has not resulted in a definite decision. Consequently Russia's answer probably will be delayed a little longer than anticipated.

PORT ARTHUR—(Via Chee Foo)—Jan. 20.—Two regiments left Port Arthur for Yalu on Tuesday. Two others left a Manchurian town for the same destination. There is evidently concentration of Russian troops being carried out near Yalu. The railway hospital carriages are ready.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Wall street has now taken to betting on the outcome of the far eastern trouble. The odds are against war. Fred H. Brooks, who has handled large sums during election campaigns and international yacht races, today offered to bet $2,000,000 to $1,000,000 that there would be no hostilities for at least four weeks.

SUEZ, Jan. 20.—Nine Russian torpedo boat destroyers have arrived here from Port Said bound for the far east. The Russian transport Orel has sailed for the far east.

ADEN, ARABIA, Jan. 20.—The Japanese cruiser, Kasaga, sailed from here tonight for the far east.

TOOK TOO MUCH CHLORAL.

In Trying to Induce Sleep, Wilkinsburg Druggist Poisons Himself.

Michael J. McGann, a druggist of Penn and Center avenues, Wilkinsburg, was found dead at his home yesterday morning. It is thought that death was due to an overdose of a narcotic, taken to induce sleep. Mr. McGann had been troubled with insomnia and often took chloral to secure rest. He was about 40 years old and has been in the drug business for over 20 years. He formerly conducted the drug store at Grant street and Sixth avenue. He was preparing to leave for California to join his wife and daughters this week.

Dr. Robert Hanna, aged 30, a son of Postmaster Hanna of Greenock station, on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, was killed by a train on that line yesterday. He was walking on the tracks when struck. Joseph Kalalski, aged 30, of 342 Harmar street, died at the West Penn hospital yesterday from burns received at the Fourteenth street mills of the American Steel & Wire Company.

Recent Deaths.

John W. Roach.

John N. Roach, assistant road foreman on the Panhandle railroad, died yesterday at his home in Sixth avenue, Carnegie, after a brief illness of appendicitis. Mr. Roach was one of the best-known railroad men in this section. When he was 17 years old he entered the employ of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company as a brakeman, and in one year was given charge of a train. He left the Baltimore & Ohio about 20 years ago and went to Columbus, O., where he worked in the yards of the Panhandle as assistant foreman until one year ago, when he was transferred to Carnegie and made assistant in the Sheraden yards. He had charge of the engines and train crews leaving that point. He was a member of Champion lodge 581 of Columbus, the same lodge of which President McKinley was a member. He was also a member of Columbus lodge 79, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. The remains will be taken this morning to the home of his brother-in-law, A. Toole, 401 North Monroe street, Columbus, O. A committee of railroad men will accompany the body. He is survived by his wife, one son and two sisters.

Mrs. Mary Dougherty.

Mrs. Mary Dougherty, aged 71 years, widow of Anthony Dougherty, died early yesterday morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Kelly, No. 1315 Kentucky avenue, Allegheny. Mrs. Dougherty had been ill but a few days and died of heart failure. She was born in Ireland and had been a resident of Allegheny for more than 35 years. She is survived by the following children: Martin of East St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Mary Bailey, Mrs. Sarah Kelly, Mrs. J. F. Gillespie and James Dougherty of Allegheny. Funeral services will be held in St. Anthony's Roman Catholic church, Allegheny, at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Mrs. Leah Longsdorf.

Mrs. Leah Longsdorf, widow of David Longsdorf of Greensburg, is dead. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mr. Jacob Fox, pioneer residents of Hempfield township, and was born in 1816. In the early 40's she became the wife of Jacob Longsdorf. Ten children, eight of whom are living, were born to them. Mr. Longsdorf died in 1899 and deceased is survived by the following children: John Longsdorf of Edgewood, Jacob Longsdorf of Salem township, Mrs. Louisa Kauffman of near New Stanton, Mrs. Hannah Willard of Youngwood, Mrs. Elizabeth Saul of Salem township, Mrs. Ella Truxall of Braddock, Misses Alice and Amanda Longsdorf, at home.

Mrs. Susan Highgate.

Mrs. Susan Highgate, 60 years old, wife of Joseph Highgate, a colored night porter in the Frick building, died late last night at her home in Morgan street, Thirteenth ward, of dropsy. She was a member of the Wylis Avenue African Methodist Episcopal church and is survived by seven children—Joseph, John, Burton, Oliver, Jeremiah, Mrs. James Fail and Miss Rosie Highgate.

HIGH CLASS PIANO BARGAIN.

A $425 VOSE GOES FOR $285 AT HOFFMANN'S, 537 SMITHFIELD ST.

The Vose, for Fifty years a standard Piano, famous for pure tone quality, beauty of case design and durability. We have a slightly used Vose, six months old, in perfect condition, only $285.00.

An absolute saving of $140.00 in a strictly high grade Piano. See this bargain at once.

J. M. HOFFMANN CO., 537 Smithfield St.

Sole representatives for Sohmer, Vose and Behning Pianos.

RIVERMEN LOOK FOR HIGH WATER

Heavy Rains Expected to Cause Big Flood in Local Streams.

NO ALARM IN WEATHER BUREAU

Pittsburgh's annual flood will soon be due. When the snow and ice of the "old-fashioned winter" goes from the hillsides at the headwaters of the Allegheny, Monongahela rivers, a stage of approximately 30 feet is expected. For nearly 24 hours there has been a steady downpour of rain upon the snow-covered fields, covering an area of 20,000 square miles, and this is expected to place the rivers far above the danger line.

"If this rain continues, Pittsburgh will experience one of the worst floods we ever knew," said rivermen yesterday, while they lashed their craft more securely and prepared for every emergency. The men were optimistic and looked for a resumption of trade. The wharves were thronged by workmen who stood beneath the dripping eaves of the buildings and looked out where the mist covered the silent boats that hugged the ice-locked landings.

"Rain tonight; snow and colder tomorrow."

These words were repeated hundreds of times yesterday over the telephone wires from the office of the local weather bureau in the government building. Frank Ridgway, the forecast official, was at his desk and was obliged to answer inquiries every minute. He foresaw that the colder weather to check the rise in the streams and said the indications were that there would not be sufficient ice to release the ice gorges in the Allegheny.

No particular alarm was felt about the moving of the ice. A ride of 40 miles of heavy currents will grind the ice cakes almost to powder. The water was stationary at Davis Island dam and Herr's Island dam yesterday and about 30 degrees was registered on the thermometers at both places. There was a rainfall of about .20 up until 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

River prophets were in their happiest mood. Col. Theodore Poe, who predicted a rise for January 21 and 21 and Capt. Albinson, who predicted high water between the 23d and 26th, are confident that they will not be disappointed.

In the lower district of the Flats on Allegheny the residents were prepared yesterday for any emergency, and when some saw the rain yesterday afternoon they lost no time in preparing to move to the upper stories of their homes. All the craft in the off Duquesne way were drawn into the port and housed with great cables and chains. The high water is not expected to cause the usual damage. For weeks the people on the rivers have been preparing for a flood, and there will be no excuse for being taken by surprise.

CHRISTIAN SYNDER DIES AT AN ADVANCED AGE

Prominent Railroad Contractor and Leading Citizen of Connellsville Passes Away.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 20.—Christian Snyder, one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of Connellsville, and father of Henry F. Snyder, editor of the Connellsville Courier,

CHRISTIAN SNYDER.
Of Connellsville, Pa., Who Died Yesterday.

died suddenly this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. Snyder was born in Somerset on November 30, 1818, where he remained until he was 16 years old, when, coming to the United States he settled in Connellsville and followed the trade of a carpenter. For several years he followed this occupation with the Pennsylvania railroad, and finally engaged in railroad contracting himself.

In 1854 he came to Connellsville and took the contract for constructing the line of the Pittsburgh & Connellsville railroad from this place to Broadford. Since that time he has been a resident of Connellsville and followed the contracting business in the coke region for about 10 years ago, when he retired from active business.

His wife was Jane McCormick, daughter of P. McCormick, deceased, who was judge of Fayette county, and was married in 1850. Mr. Snyder is survived by seven children—Henry F., Mary P., Sarah A., George B. Grey and George P. Snyder, all of Connellsville. The funeral will occur Friday afternoon.

WAS GOING BACK TO CHINA.

Lee Yom Has Lee Yem Arrested for Embezzlement.

Lee Yem, a small Chinaman, with an innocent-looking countenance, was arrested last night on a charge of embezzlement preferred by Lee Yom. Lee Yom has employed the prisoner for the past six months as a bookkeeper and confidential clerk.

The manner in which Yem has kept the books in unique, according to Yom. In paying bills Yem declared Yom owed him, kept about 20 per cent for himself, so that in the last six months he has retained for his own use about $500. Yesterday Yom says, Yem was about to take a train to China with him, where he intended setting himself up as a retired gentleman. Yem will get a hearing today.

Protocol Signed With Cuba.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Secretary Hay and Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister, today signed a protocol providing for six months the period allowed for the exchange of ratifications of the reciprocity general treaty, embodying the Platt amendments. The period would have expired tomorrow. The treaty will now go to action by the United States senate.

Prisoner Shot by Officers.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—In an attempt to break away from Officers John Pratt and Reuben Hixon, George Fusick of Mt. Braddock was shot in the left leg. He threatened to kill Pit Boss Andrew Naer and was overpowered by the Uniontown full on account when he jumped from a moving car and attempted to escape.

Wants Alimony Produced.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—William Faversham, the actor now playing this week in Pittsburgh, has applied to have his alimony, $3,000 a year to his first wife, reduced.

Boatmen Preparing for Sudden Rise in the Rivers

Scene Along the Wharves Yesterday Where Riverboat Men Guard the Annual Flood.

FINDS PARDON FOR KOUNTZ

DEEPER RIVER IS ADVOCATED

FIRE CAUSES A LOSS OF THREE MILLIONS

Portion of Shelby Works of Tinplate Steel Corporation Destroyed.

CAR PLUNGES OVER HILLSIDE IN PENN

CANNOT REACH A SETTLEMENT

WOMEN ASKED FOR CITY'S COIN

Described Civic Needs to Committee Sub-Committee on Appropriations.

LARKIN WOULD BE LIBERAL

SHIPMENTS IN OUR OWN SHIPS.

Building Up Merchant Marine Is Favored by House Committee.

THE MEMBERS DIFFER ON PLAN

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—In his report to the house, filed today, in favor of the bill authorizing a commission to consider the question of ship subsidy, Representative Grosvenor, chairman of the committee on merchant marine and fisheries, says that of almost $1,000,000,000 worth of exports to Europe, during the fiscal year, 1901, only 1½ per cent was carried in American vessels. Of nearly $500,000,000 of imports during that year, American ships carried only $30,000,000 worth. He says that had it not been for the American line, subsidized by postal subsidy, the total of our trade with Europe carried under the American flag, would not have exceeded one-sixth of 1 per cent.

For the carrying of that trade Gen. Grosvenor says we paid $250,000,000 which amount, he maintains, should have gone into the pockets of Americans.

The minority members of the committee have designated Representative Lucking of Michigan to present their views, in part as follows:

"We are opposed to congress abdicating its functions in favor of any commission whatever.

"We favor immediate action by this committee in the way of investigation and hearings; and then the bringing in by this committee of a bill putting in force substantially the system of discriminating tonnage and import duties which was enacted by the early congresses of the United States and which resulted in the immediate and permanent upbuilding of our merchant marine."

Representative McDermott of New Jersey, today introduced a bill providing that vessels owned entirely by citizens of the United States should be granted American registers, regardless of where they are constructed.

Woman Predicted Explosion.

Alexander Cameron, who was asleep in the Dietrich building, Woods Run avenue and Brighton road, Allegheny, when the water heater blew up early yesterday morning, hurling a dislodged window against him, was not seriously hurt. Mrs. Clifford, wife of Dr. A. Clifford, yesterday said she had predicted the explosion two days before it occurred, as the heater was not working properly. The total damage to the building and goods of Grocer H. W. Evans and Druggist J. F. Cameron is placed at $3,000.

Coraopolis Republicans Suggested.

The Republicans of Coraopolis last night suggested the following candidates: Justice of the peace, W. J. Nelson, R. B. McElroy, S. J. Dugan; council, H. W. Burns, D. K. Clover, S. A. Reed, A. C. Purdy, W. M. Stanton, W. J. Lawrence; school directors, Joseph Belford, F. F. Watson, C. B. Dillon, J. W. Arris, T. F. VanKirk, C. C. Wilson, W. M. Seibert and Dr. W. J. Stewart; auditor, L. A. Way, P. H. Cupps and L. M. Jenkins. The primaries will be held next Saturday.

Frick Goes to Florida.

PALM BEACH, FLA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The servants of Mr. Henry C. Frick of Pittsburgh, came today to put his cottage in order. He is expected Monday with his family.

Want More Money for Library.

A. Frew, president of the board of the Carnegie library, asked for the support of that institution the coming year. In presenting the library had been given additional money was needed, to furnish books for the East End as well as to provide for an increase in the salaries of some of the employes. Of this sum $40,000 will be used for the East End branch. Mr. Frew was not on hand when the appropriations were brought up for final action, but members of the committee informed him that there would be manifest an increase in the library's favor.

Councilman Charles Cavett and S. Hershberger appeared before the committee representing the West End trade and asked for an appropriation in behalf of the Point bridge project. The opinion prevailed that it would put the structure in shape to stand 25 years without further repairs. Property owners on the second ward asked for the opening of Main street in the section of Forbes street in the Fifth district. About $250,000 is asked for this purpose.

Representatives from the Schenley estate were next given the floor to ask for the improvement of the Schenley park oval into a first-class bicycle track with "cooling sheds" and seating accommodations. W. J. Moore and George Hammond, of the track committee of the directors of the flying ground in his section. They said $14,000 would be required, exclusive of the grandstand. Some of the committee thought that they would be more money next year in order to house spectators. The committee then adjourned to meet at the call of the chair.

The council committee of finance will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The most important business before the committee is the ordinance relating to employes in the department of public works. The fixing of their salaries was passed in the common council.

Hanna Invited to Speak.

FRANKFORT, KY., Jan. 20.—The senate today concurred in the house joint resolution inviting Senator Marcus A. Hanna of Ohio to address the general assembly of Kentucky. By a previous resolution Senator Gorman of Maryland has been invited to address the legislature.

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WALLACE WAS NOT APPOINTED

Says That Peter Hermes Promised to Make Him Sergeant of Police.

MUCH WORK FOR THE COURTS

When William Wallace went to the public safety building yesterday to secure the appointment of sergeant of police, promised him by Peter Hermes, he was told by Director Harry Moore that he had no instructions to put him to work. Last night Owen Lewis of the Twenty-third ward was at the desk in Central station which Wallace had expected to occupy.

Wallace was a police sergeant under the Republican administration and is one of the best workers in the Sixth ward. Hermes wanted his services in the councilmanic fight and, according to Wallace, the select councilman promised to have him reinstated in the police service. When Wallace interviewed Director Moore yesterday he discovered that the mayor had not placed his O. K. on the Hermes order. In the meantime the Twenty-third ward councilmen secured the appointment of Lewis, who is also an old-time police sergeant.

This is the second strong worker turned down this week by Hermes. The other one is John McCaig, who was promised the Democratic nomination for common councilman. The conference committee, by a vote of 4 to 2, nominated him. Later orders were given to reconsider the action and name William H. Finerty. McCaig is considering the advisability of going into court to attack the nomination certificate given Finerty by the Hermes Democrats.

Yesterday, when asked about the alleged deal to secure the withdrawal of Charles Shanahan, the Republican nominee for select councilman, and name Peter Hermes in his stead, Charles E. Fiffin said:

"He is on the ticket, isn't he? Well, wait until you hear of him withdrawing."

Other Jobs Promised.

The Hermes managers in the Sixth ward are making many promises of jobs. Goods are not marked for delivery until after the election, and many things can happen to furnish excuses for failure to deliver. There are some fat berths in the police bureau vacant at this time. There is a permanent superintendent, assistant superintendent, day captain, night lieutenant, night sergeant, night turnkey and day turnkey to be appointed. The places are all being used for trading purposes in the Sixth ward right. The offers are made by the Hermes lieutenants. Since Wallace was turned down so early in the fight, the men holding the promises for the other places will probably declare the deals off.

Martin McTighe is preparing to make a fight against the nomination given Hermes by the Citizens. When the Larkin campaign started two years ago, five men took out a patent for the exclusive use of the Citizens party title in the Sixth ward. One of the signers of the paper is dead. McTighe claims that of the others three are with him and one is supposed to be supporting Hermes. The claim will be made in the courts that Hermes has no legal right to appear as the candidate of the Citizens as the majority of the men who patented the party title object. McTighe will present papers in which he is named as the nominee of the Citizens party for select council.

Twentieth Ward Case.

The Walters faction of the Republican party in the Twentieth ward yesterday filed objections to the ticket nominated by the Conner faction and declared to by the regular ticket by Chairman M. G. Leslie of the city committee. Sidney B. Foster is the objector and his attorneys are Senator W. S. Woods and W. J. Brennen. The objections were filed in common pleas court No. 1, and Judge J. R. Macfarlane has fixed the time for the hearing at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. In brief the objections are that the meeting of the ward committee on January 9 was not a legal one; that a majority of the members was not present, that S. P. Conner and Karl R. Stearns, as presiding officer and secretary, were without authority to certify the nominations; that the candidates certified were not legally nominated; that the certification was not legal as the board was not qualified to act; that the officials signing the papers were not authorized either by the law or the party ruler; that the papers are not in due form of law or in accordance with the rules. The court is requested to declare the papers invalid and direct the county commissioners to omit the names of the candidates from the ballot.

The Wyman faction in Allegheny yesterday filed objections to all of the ward nominations made by the regular Republicans. The same objections are those given Tuesday in the Seventh ward case are urged against the other nominees. These papers were put into common pleas court No. 1. The regulars, through their attorneys, John C. Haymaker and T. P. Trimble, filed objections in common pleas court No. 2 against the nominations made by the Wymanites. The papers set forth that the certificates of nomination were not filed by the duly qualified ward committee; that the officers certifying are not legally officers of the committee, and that the ward committee did not represent the party under the rules in force in Allegheny. The hearings in both courts have been ordered for 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Second Ward Orphans.

The Orphans will try to defeat the election of Edward J. Edwards as select councilman for the Second ward. Edwards has the Republican, Democratic and Citizens nominations. The same people control the machines of the three parties in the ward. The Orphans are of the opinion that a man of good reputation can be found in the ward who will be able to defeat Edwards. The ground work for the fight was laid yesterday when W. H. Gill, Jr., George Warner, John Gallagher, Thomas Beck and Lawrence McConnell filed an affidavit claiming the right to the exclusive use of the Orphans' party name in the ward.

E. G. Elwood and others have filed an affidavit claiming the exclusive use of the name "Independent Voters' League" for the Nineteenth ward.

The Citizens party of the Twenty-seventh ward met in the Hane school last night and completed their ticket, as follows: Select council, L. H. Fredericks; common council, John Dengler and John Maslowski; school directors, Fred L. Kich and Edwin Bishop; assessor, David Brichart.

The Citizens and Democrats of the Seventh ward held a ratification meeting at the Franklin school last night. John F. Enris was chairman. Speeches were made by L. S. Levin, Joseph Davis and others, and the candidates were given a warm reception. The ticket ratified consists of William McKelvy for select council, Samuel Frankle for common council, S. C. Jamison for school director and Jacob Friedman for assessor.

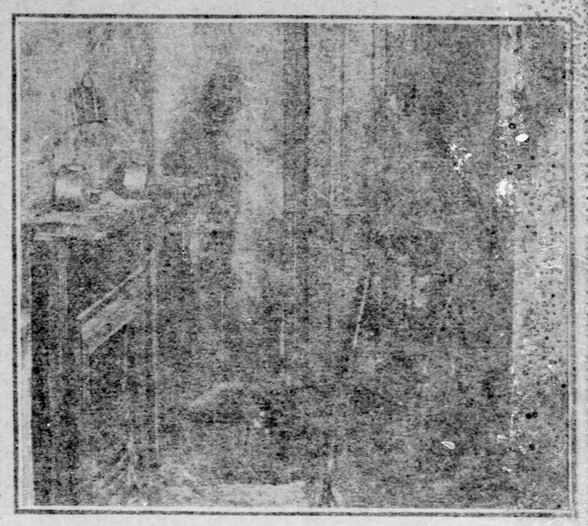
Doctors Likely to Reduce Rates.

Owing to the reductions in wages, rents, coal and other things in Homestead during the past month, the physicians of that borough are now considering a reduction in fees, and the matter will come up for action at a meeting of all the physicians next week. Homestead physicians advanced fees from $1 to $1 50 per visit nearly a year ago.

Curfew Rang at Munhall Last Night.

The curfew ordinance went into effect in Munhall borough for the first time last evening and the police of the borough had an unusually busy time sending the children home at 8 o'clock, when the bell tolled. The greatest difficulty was experienced with the Slavonic children, who were unable to understand why they should be sent home.

Scene of the Fatal Fire In a Glenwood Tenement



Room In Which Helena Baldiga Was Burned To Death.

ONE DEAD, TWO BURNED TRYING TO HURRY FIRE

Mrs. Annie Baldiga Throws Oil Into Grate While Children Are at Her Side—Other Fires Reported.

With her baby boy tightly clasped to her breast, Mrs. Annie Baldiga rushed like a flaming pillar of fire down the stairs of a Polish tenement house at 3511 Second avenue, Glenwood, and with agonizing screams besought her neighbors to save her little girl, who was being burned to death in the third story, yesterday afternoon. Willing neighbors took the child from its mother and after extinguishing their burning clothing carried them to a nearby house, but misunderstanding the meaning of her plea to save the girl, the latter was burned to death.

THE DEAD.

HELENA BALDIGA, aged 7; found burned to a crisp after the blaze was extinguished.

THE BURNED.

MRS. ANNIE BALDIGA, aged 32; burned all over the body and inhaled flames; removed to Mercy hospital, and will die.

FRANK BALDIGA, aged 4; burned about the face and hands; taken to Mercy hospital; will recover.

While the father of the family, Stanyesio Baldiga, was at work about 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, his wife endeavored to hasten a fire in the grate in their apartments on the third floor of the building by throwing oil from a pan on the hot coals. Her two little children were standing beside the mother when the flames suddenly blew out from the open grate and the three were enveloped in flames.

Mrs. Baldiga, although blazing from feet to head, quickly grabbed up her boy and ran screaming down the stairs on which she was met by other tenants of the house who were attracted by her screams. The mother and boy were parted and while neighbors were putting out their burning clothing Mrs. Baldiga implored the rescuers to save her child. Thinking the mother meant the boy, who was already being cared for by Dr. F. C. Blessing, they paid no attention to pleas. Her clothing was burned from body.

H. I. Spielberger of 3508 Second avenue was the first to reach the burning house and with other neighbors helped to carry them to the street. A still alarm was sent in to engine company No. 32, but later an alarm was turned in from box 252. The firemen quickly responded and after extinguishing the fire in the building apartment they found the little girl's body lying on the hearth before the grate and burned in an awful manner. The blaze caused little damage to the house and the girl's life probably could have been saved had the neighbors understood the meaning of the mother's cries.

The building in which the fire occurred is a four-story frame structure. The first floor of the building is occupied by a mission church for foreigners. It is of wood and the floors above are occupied by Polish families.

Fire in the switchboard in the office of the Bell Telephone Company in McKeesport caused a panic among the 12 girl operators employed in the room yesterday morning. At sight of the flames the girls made a wild dash for places of safety and all escaped injury. The fire was put out by the McKeesport fire department. The switchboard was badly damaged, and telephone service in the city was crippled for about three hours.

A small blaze was caused on the roof of the Bessemer building at Sixth street and Duquesne way by a roll of tar paper catching fire yesterday morning. The fire was extinguished before the firemen arrived.

Michael Hubert, aged 40, was probably fatally burned by the explosion of a can of gasoline while filling a tank at the Keneflick camp, Greentree, at 4:30 yesterday afternoon. He was taken to the South Side hospital.

STATEMENTS WANTED.

Treasurer Calls Attention to Fact That Franchise Taxes Will Soon Fall Due.

City Treasurer E. J. Frauenheim yesterday called attention to the fact that the public service corporations of the city are expected to hand in on or before February 1 statements of the amount of taxes they are to pay into the city treasury, in accordance with the linear franchise tax ordinance passed a few months ago by councils. The advocates of the system claim that the bill will yield the city $500,000 in taxes from the corporations.

The bill provides that each corporation shall furnish the city treasurer with a statement showing the length of street car tracks, telephone, telegraph, electric light wires and cables and length water and gas pipes. The treasurer then to assess the taxes, basing amount upon the sworn statement. Up to date no company has filed a statement, and the city treasurer declares that if the corporations do not act within the time specified he will take steps to levy the tax without the statement. The taxes are to be collected on May 1.

Sheriff Gets an Increase.

The county salary board met yesterday and authorized the sheriff to make a number of additions to his office, owing to the large increase of business handled by that department of the county government. Two additional clerks at $75 a month, a stenographer and sleuth at $90, a process officer at $75 and an additional deputy sheriff at $90 were authorized.

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Chickering upright, used, perfect condition $198.00
Estey upright, best style, almost new $248.00
Chickering upright, Colonial style, used as ornament on stage at Bijou Theater, perfect condition—bargain $168.00
Kimball upright, like new, perfect condition $245.00
Fischer Bros. now, their best style—mahogany case $227.00
Kroeger upright, taken in exchange on Chickering grand; been three years—rare bargain $197.00
Six new sample pianos, sold by other dealers for $500; Fall size, ivory keys; guaranteed, our price while they last $295.00
Square Grand, cabinet grand, walnut, used only a few weeks at Grand Opera House $268.00
Fischer upright piano, one of their best styles. Used two years; taken in exchange—perfect condition $195.00
Chickering upright, mahogany, varnish worn slightly damaged in shipping from factory to our store. Rare bargain $438.00
Piano, slightly used—good as new $146.00
Estey organ, new, rare bargain; now ..... $ 78.00
Decker Bros. square piano; good condition ..... $ 65.00
Steinway square piano; good condition ..... $ 65.00
Cabinet square piano; fair condition ..... $ 25.00
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In our Shoe Store for women and children we carry some fifty different styles of this celebrated make, including one of the nifty styles which we will sell you for $3.00 a pair is worth, as to material, [illegible] $4.00 mark. The pair of shoes of Queen Quality make is worth a good many dollars more when it comes to absolute comfort, perfection of fit, and graceful outlines.

Every grade of leather that is used in women's shoes—that is, every good grade—is to be found in this $3.00 line of Queen Quality make; every stylish heel, every stylish toe, is to be found. The saying, "Queen Quality once worn always worn," comes very near being the literal truth.

Lowered Prices on Women's and Children's Shoes.

Just now we are offering broken lines of women's and children's shoes for reduced prices—in other words, we are [illegible] from the lines of our January Clearance in this department as well as in other departments. The following quotations will show to what lengths we go in the way of lowering prices. We also quote [illegible] reduced prices on broken lines of Slippers.

Women's Winter Shoes, of [illegible] leather known as wax calf, reduced from $4.00 to $2.50 a pair.

Women's Winter Shoes of the favorite box calf, reduced from $3.50 to $2.25 a pair.

Women's White Shoes of [illegible] leather, reduced from $3.00 to $2.25 a pair.

Boys' Extra Heavy Box Calf Shoes, reduced from $3.00 to $2.00 a pair.

Boys' Storm Shoes, blucher cut, are sold for $3.00 a pair. They are about $1.00 under price.

Women's Slippers, various styles reduced from $3.50 and $4.00 to $2.00 a pair.

Children's fur-lined Juliette Slippers reduced from $1.25 to 75c a pair.

Children's $1.50 Florodora bath slippers reduced from $1.50 to 50c a pair.

Raincoats for Everybody.

Men's and [illegible] Raincoats in the Men's Furnishing Section, street floor of East Store. Women's and Misses' Raincoats, second floor, West Store.

Girls' Raincoats.

Here's a proposition that will meet with the views of the economically inclined—Girls' Raincoats for reduced prices.

At $2.50, reduced from $3.50—Girls' Raincoats of soft finish rainproof cloth, tan and navy colors, with and without belt. The sizes are for girls 3 to 12 years.

At $5.00, reduced from $7.50—Girls' Raincoats of tan and navy rainproof cheviots, with hood without belt. These are for girls 6 to 14 years.

Men's Raincoats.

The newest styles, tailored in best manner, perfect fitting, extra [illegible] guaranteed waterproof, at $10.00 and up to $30. Lots of men consider the raincoat a very good substitute for an overcoat.

Men's Mackintoshes. [illegible] to $20.00

Black is the only color worn now in Mackintoshes, and for men whose occupation calls for them being [illegible] on the street, one Mackintosh is as good as any other.

Men's Rubber Coats, $5.00.

These coats are made expressly for men requiring a substantial coat, and one that is impervious to rain—simply a rainyday workcoat for men who are out in all sorts of weather.

Boys' Raincoats, $13.50 *to* $18.00.

These raincoats are made on the same lines as the raincoats for grown-ups. They can be made to take the place of a topcoat; they are sightly, and they are the only coat that can be worn on a rainy day and not be hurt. They are sold in the Men's Furnishing Store where are also Boys' Mackintoshes for $5.00 and Boys' Gum Coats for $2.25.

Women's Raincoats.

Our raincoats represent advance styles for Spring, 1904, medium and light shades of tan, also gray, olive, mixtures and black. Plain and fancy effects. Different styles, some loose front and fitted backs, some loose back, large sleeve, with and without capes; all have belts, some with belt only on back of garments, others with belts all the way around. Prices $10.00, $12.50, $18.00 and up to $40.00.

Stock-Taking Sale in the Women's Suit and Coat Departments.

Our [illegible] for the [illegible] year—next week everybody will be engaged in measuring and figuring. [illegible] to get as many suits and coats out of the way as possible. We have many broken lines [illegible] lowering had their prices reduced, and we now

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lowering [illegible] the original prices are only a memory.

[illegible] one [illegible] to [illegible] great trouble in securing what you want—the first or second garment shown may be exactly what you have in mind. On the other hand, it may take possibly a half hour or so to arrive at the correct garment, but anyone will be amply repaid for their time in more ways than one; first, in the significant prices that will be charged; second, in having a garment of most recent model.

$5.00 Suits. These are from lines that sold at $15.00 and $20.00. Not many of them. No alterations. The price is so ridiculously low that the skirt alone is worth double what the suit sells for.

$10.00 Suits. These formerly sold for $20.00 and $22.00. A fancy color selection of dress and walking lengths in all-wool cheviots. All coats, short or long, are lined with silk.

$15.00 Suits. Former prices were $22.50 and $25.00. Probably fifty in this lot, and a better chance to get a practical and stylish suit never existed. All-wool cloths, finely tailored and all of new and popular models.

$18.50 Suits. Some sold for as much as $35.00. Fully 150 very handsome suits in black, blue and some very pretty and effective men's wear mixtures. Plain or elaborately trimmed with braids, velvets, laces, metals, etc. Long or short skirt, and every desirable model, in blouse, Eton or long coat. You'll have little trouble in choosing from this lot.

$23.75 Suits. Former prices as high as $45.00. In this group are a great many semi-costume effects, as well as tailored street garments. Generally but one of a kind. Black and colors. Also foreign woven mixtures with appropriate garniture.

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Thursday, January 21, 1904.

The renewed caucusing and powwowing on the Democratic side of the senate are explained by the fact that Senator Mallory of Florida, Clay of Georgia and Simmons of North Carolina have made known to their colleagues that they want to make speeches in favor of the Panama treaty. Senator Gorman is now busy trying to prevent this open split, and this is the object of the conferences now going on. There is no longer any idea of defeating the treaty; the endeavor is now to find a hole through which the opposition may crawl out.

On Monday the filtration experts will be here ready for work. They will not have much time in which to examine the estimates and the situation if they are to report on the first of February. But with the greater part of the essential information ready made they may be able to do all that is expected of them. Their familiarity with the general subject will be of the greatest assistance, and as two of them are now actively engaged with the construction of filters their knowledge of material and labor costs is of the best.

It may be idle to suggest reform in such matters, but the street car accident at Rankin certainly calls for improved methods. Recognizing the facts that rapid transit is a necessity and that the topography of the Greater Pittsburgh presents many engineering difficulties, we believe it is possible to make suburban travel safer than it is. The spot where the accident occurred last evening is a particularly dangerous one, and that piece of track should be abandoned for a better, though possibly more expensive route. If it is not abandoned, then better safety devices should be resorted to. Haste and cheapness do not excuse the permanent maintenance of such perils.

Most of the essential elements for a disastrous flood in the Allegheny river are present. A few, however, are lacking, and they may not be supplied. The snowfall of the winter along the upper stream has been the heaviest for many years. The ice gorges are heavy and threatening. If that excessive snow shall be carried off with a heavy, warm rain, the damage will be very great. The rain of yesterday was confined to the region of the lower river. Above Red Bank the greater part of the precipitation was snow. Cold weather is promised for today. That will postpone the chance of a great flood and may encourage the hope that the final break-up of winter will be a slow process, more of sunshine than of rain.

Abundant reasons have been presented to the rivers and harbors committee to show why the Ohio river should be improved to give a permanent depth of nine feet of water between Pittsburgh and the Mississippi river. This improvement will cost a pretty large sum of money, but it cannot all be expended at once, and the results will fully justify the ultimate cost. The creation of a nine-foot channel from Pittsburgh to New Orleans is essential to the fullest enjoyment of the advantages to be conferred upon the United States by its construction of the Panama canal. It is not a local benefit to be paid for by counties or cities, but a national good to be shared by all. The funds should be provided, as those for the improvement of lake and ocean harbors have been, from the national treasury. There should be no holding back on the sum needed for necessary surveys and estimates on the work.

A news dispatch stating that Secretary Hay and Senor Quesada have signed a protocol extending for six months the time during which ratifications of the general Cuban treaty may be exchanged calls renewed attention to the dilatory methods of the senate. The reason for extending the time is that the treaty is pending before the senate. This is the treaty negotiated at the close of the American occupation of Cuba, including the Platt amendment, which demanded important privileges for the United States. Though Cuba objected to these provisions it has ratified the treaty. Since then it has been before the United States senate without action, though the time limit for exchange of ratifications expires today. The extension by protocol fully covers the probable duration of this session of congress, thus giving the senate time for its unreasonable method of doing nothing until the public has nearly forgotten the matters pending before it.

The Bogota correspondent of the Washington Post has cabled that paper that the government there has been advised by Gen. Reyes that the United States senate cannot be depended upon to defeat the Panama treaty and that his mission has been fruitless. Gen. Reyes himself has now become an object of resentment, and this may defeat his election as president which had been regarded as assured, and that Juan Valez may be selected in his stead. This is unfortunate, for Gen. Reyes is an energetic and capable man, who displayed genuine courage and patriotism in accepting the hopeless task of inducing our government to retrace its steps. It is hard to believe that a man of his perspicacity could have ever believed the undertaking feasible, and there is some reason for thinking that he was committed to that course by force of circumstances. It is understood that he was provided with a large sum of money and his original objective was Panama, but our prompt recognition of Panama and assumption of the responsibility of defense shut off all opportunities of action there. He might have dealt with Panama revolutionists but not with our naval commanders. Their answer to any overtures would have been to refer him to the authorities at Washington, so there was nothing for him to do but to come to Washington or else abandon his mission at the outset. His failure was inevitable, but he did all that anyone could have done, and if in the meanwhile he has lost his popularity it was a sacrifice to patriotism which does him great honor.

Our Dog-in-the-Manger Policy.

A strange feature of our national character is that while we are quick to judge and condemn foreign nations for failure to use their strength in the cause of humanity we are ourselves supine to an extent at which the world marvels. We blame the great powers of Europe for permitting chronic misrule in the provinces of Turkey, and the present situation of Macedonia is viewed as a disgrace to civilization. Nevertheless we go on tolerating even worse conditions at our own doors without any sting of conscience.

The condition of San Domingo has been a disgrace to civilization for many years—indeed, ever since the island was lost to France. It was once the seat of culture and refinement; its commerce was extensive and its production large. Its history for a century past has been that of relapse to barbarism, so that even the human sacrifices and cannibalism of Voudooism have been restored in secret places. Trade and commerce are small compared to what they were under French rule. It is a question whether the country is not now upon a lower industrial plane than before the discovery of America, for the aboriginal population was computed at 2,000,000, while the present population is only about one-third of that number.

At present the country is in a state of violent anarchy. There are three distinct revolutionary movements going on and the land is given up to war and bloodshed. The struggling bands vie with one another in spreading desolation. Homesteads are burned, plantations ruined and the resources of the country are being so rapidly exhausted that war may eventually succumb to starvation. Whatever there is left in the land of statesmanship looks eagerly for foreign relief. The country has in Samana bay what is regarded as the finest harbor in the West Indies; San Domingo has long desired to dispose of that asset and at the same time secure the protection of some strong power, but here again our national policy interferes. We will not take it ourselves, nor will we allow any foreign power to have it. Thus we persistently interfere in the affairs of San Domingo to its hurt, while declining to do anything for its good.

San Domingo lies between Porto Rico and Cuba. Between San Domingo and Porto Rico is the Mona passage, the most important avenue from the Atlantic ocean to the Caribbean sea, and it will constitute the main route between Europe and the isthmian canal. Samana bay is on the Atlantic front of San Domingo, near Mona passage. The bay has a narrow entrance, naturally adapted to fortification. Inside the passage it widens out into a vast natural harbor, 30 miles long and about 10 wide, capable of accommodating ships of the greatest depth. It is well sheltered against all winds, and its natural advantages commend the admiration of every military expert. As long ago as 1854, when Gen. McClellan was a captain, he was sent by the war department to study the military advantages of the place and made an enthusiastically favorable report. Gen. Grant, while president, tried to secure for the United States this important position, but his plans were frustrated by the inability of the senate to appreciate the genuine statesmanship of his proposals. Our inability to understand either our duty or our interests have discouraged San Domingo leaders from expecting any help to their country from us, and President Wasy Gil tried to induce Germany to enter into negotiations for Samana bay. But while we have refused to take it ourselves we are not ashamed to play the dog in the manger, and as soon as news of the affair reached our state department a vigorous message was sent to San Domingo forbidding the negotiation.

It is an extraordinary situation, discreditable to the common sense and moral dignity of the United States. And yet when, as now seems probable, some action on our part becomes compulsory, the same class of people who are denouncing the administration for our humane and just behavior at Panama will again raise a hubbub of defamation. Detractors of this class will always be with us; they have existed in every age and among every people, but no great nation has ever hearkened to them as we do, or accorded them so much public influence. We are sorely in need of such an awakening of conscience as will impel our national policy to a complete disregard of their base sophistries and cowardly alarms.

Morgan's Canal Bill.

Senator Morgan's bill proposing the annexation of Panama is at once a surrender and a new attack. The garrulous Alabamian has been always identified with the Nicaragua project. When the scene shifted to Panama he was irreconcilable. He fought the Hay-Herran treaty to the bitter end on the ground that it did not give the United States all the rights acquired by the Colombian senate rejected it on the plea that "unreasonable honors" would not permit the grant of all the privileges provided by the French. Reyes was defeated and returned to Bogota to denounce Nicaragua. When Panama revolted and negotiated a fair treaty with the United States, Morgan was found championing the cause of Colombia and inveighing against the unfair treatment accorded the greedy South American state, regardless of his own insistence upon more rigorous terms than those rejected by President Roosevelt's helpers.

Finding the south, including his own state of Alabama, so heartily in favor of the canal and the negotiations with Panama as to undo Senator Gorman's opposition against the administration, Morgan has again shifted his ground. He now proposes that we shall annex Panama, paying $10,000,000 to the isthmian government and $15,000,000 to Colombia for the privilege. In this project he gives notice he will make some remarks." Morgan has been driving canal for 15 years and has given no less information than almost anyone else, so he has studied the matter.

Of course, Senator Morgan's bill will not pass. It is ridiculous in conception and a veiled attack upon all that was well done during the past three months. An offer of $15,000,000 to Colombia would amount to an acknowledgement that its sovereignty continues over Panama, and would open the way for that country to create new complications and further delay. A payment of $10,000,000 to the government of Panama, followed by annexation of the territory, would be to put Morgan into the isthmian treasury to be expended by the succeeding American government. This would be as absurd as the proffer of payment to Colombia would be impolitic.

Senator Morgan uneasily appreciates the incongruities of his bill, but he cares nothing for that. His purpose is, if possible, to create a diversion. He faces final defeat on the issue as defined by Senator Gorman and himself, and unless he can shift to a new base the fight will speedily terminate. He is trying to shift. If he can succeed he will be laughed out of court, and if the people had an effective rule to forward business Mr. Morgan's "remarks" would be cut very short.

The Wilmington (Del.) pastor who is charged with advocating a lynching that occurred the next day is to be tried by his presbytery on the order of the synod, and from the manner in which clergymen are expressing their sentiments it is apparent that teachers of religion in the twentieth century are occasionally as entirely human as was the Apostle Peter when he cut off the ear of the high priest's servant.

Senator Gorman now discovers that the man who endeavors to run the Maryland legislature is as much a dictator from Illinois as is the man who attempts to run the Democratic senatorial caucus at Washington.

The New York Times declares that Mark Hanna would be easy to beat as Republican nominee for the presidency. Is this another scheme of the enemy to put steam into that anti-Roosevelt boom?

Those West Virginia gentlemen who have undertaken to frame a law that will please everyone are now looking over the records to find out what it is that usually happens to peacemakers.

The dangerous state of affairs reported in Korea by United States Minister Allen will make it clear to progressed of spheres of influence that the time to get busy has almost arrived.

The applause he is getting convinces the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain that protection is even a better thing than he thought it was when he first camped on its trail.

If all the available Democratic presidential bread could be patched together there wouldn't be much more than enough to hold an ingrate over.

Another Austrian archduke has permitted his young man's fancy lightly to turn to thoughts of love. These Hapsburgs seem to be distinctly human.

According to the latest census the Santo Domingo revolutions have been narrowed down to three, but it is suspected that a few others are in ambush.

That second attack of hot zero weather up in New York state, was without any political significance. Isn't that so, Judge Parker?

King Peter of Servia is understood to have become convinced that the head that wears a crown not only lies uneasily, but gets info.

A tour through a subway or tenderloin is not to be understood as implying any differences between Messrs. Carnegie and Ewell.

President Roosevelt and Senator Hanna agree like these birds in their cage, but positively refuse to fall out.

The addition of a little soap might make slippery side of many more than the uppermost.

Biancanlo Carmine and Pietro Nigro's peers grow old together.

Col. Bryan is arranging to make St. Louis some one's last ditch.

Changes in the weather occur while you wait, or regardless of it.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"What did you think of my French sedan?" asked the actor.

"Well, it seemed to me a little too late in the piece," was the reply.—Chicago Post.

"Uncle," said the bright young man, "is 'politics' singular or plural?"

"Sonny," was the reply, "in this country, whah I come from, it's mighty singular."—Washington Star.

The importunate lover said:

"Let your answer be 'Yes' or 'No.'"

"I cannot answer on either side of the question," replied the charming girl maid.

"Very well," the suitor said, "I'll write you a Plain Dealer."

Robinson Crusoe had just found his man Friday.

"It was the only thing to be ascertained," the cook takes the cake.

Herein we see how the Russian administration still watched upon the Jews.—New York Sun.

The Quiet Observer

ERASMUS WILSON.

And still they come!
Let 'em come, for it is an evidence of good feeling when so many are ready and willing to accommodate this neighbor with the good old pieces they used to sky in school and thus bring up so many pleasant recollections.

Twenty years makes no change, but it does make a difference in one's life—at least it does in those [illegible] when you come to think of a [illegible] ago, what is now, and what will happen in the meantime. You [illegible] feeling inspired, did the author [illegible] twenty years ago. Who was the [illegible] give the author credit for a good thing.

Dear Quiet Observer: I am quite pleased that I can send [illegible] to your Bradenville correspondent the poem of "Twenty Years Ago." It is a favorite also with me and I [illegible] it to my children. The song, [illegible] knew, and sung it when a girl, and if I can gather it together from memory will send it later.

AUNT MARGARET.

New Brighton, Pa.

I wandered to the village, Tom,
And sat beneath the tree
Upon the school house playing ground,
That spot so dear to me.
The old school house is gone, Tom,
But few were left to know
Who played with me upon the green
Just twenty years ago.

The grass is just as green, dear Tom,
Barefooted boys at play
Were sporting just as we were then,
With spirits light and gay.
But the maiden's shape upon the hills,
Which, coated o'er with snow,
Afforded us a sliding place
Just twenty years ago.

The river's running just as still,
The willows on its side
Are larger than they were, dear Tom,
The stream appears less wide.
The grape vine swing is ruined now,
Where once we played the pean,
And straws our sweethearts, pretty girls—
Just twenty years ago.

The old school house is altered some,
The benches are replaced
By others very like the ones,
Our penknives had defaced.
The same old bell swings to the rain,
The bell rope is no more,
It's pulled by other hands, dear Tom,
As twenty years ago.

The spider that hung 'neath the hill,
Close by the spreading beech,
Is very big, 'twas once so small,
That I could [illegible]
And stooping down [illegible]
Dear Tom, I [illegible]
To see how much [illegible]
Since twenty years ago.

Close by this [illegible]
You know I [illegible]
Your sweethearts [illegible]
Tom, and you [illegible]
Some heartless [illegible] the tears
This [illegible]
Just as [illegible]
Died twenty years ago.

My heart was very sad, dear Tom,
And tears [illegible]
I thought of her I loved so well,
Those days [illegible]
I visited the old church-yard,
And took some flowers to strew
Upon the graves of those we loved,
Just twenty [illegible] ago.

Some now are in that church-yard laid
Some sleep beneath the sea,
But few are left of our old class,
Excepting you and me,
And when our time shall come, dear Tom,
And we are called to go,
I hope they'll lay us where we played
Just twenty years ago.

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Here comes an old-timer with "Just Twenty Years Ago" for thanks; but still more for the which follows. He asks to have withheld. That isn't easy to do, who can recall as many interesting events, deserves to have [illegible] his letters. His request will be [illegible] his name will be kept within easy [illegible] may come up something again very much used.

What was said concerning the [illegible] mother and daughter was from memory and not from personal knowledge.

Dear Quiet Observer: In your [illegible] for children of Monday you [illegible] Cecelia Coppoli [illegible] passing praise [illegible] for [illegible] persons in the [illegible] at the old [illegible]

I would like to be one of the [illegible] would attempt to correct our philosophies a friend, but Miss Cecelia Coppoli was [illegible] ing lady in [illegible] and [illegible] under the management of old Gov. Forter and J. W. McFarland.

Miss Annie Levering was leading lady in [illegible]. The latter year H. D. Hander[illegible] was leading man, while the greatest [illegible] Jacob M. Closkey, the stage ever saw played heavy business. I allude to James Carden. Then came Mrs. Myson, leading lady with [illegible] Chaplain leading man, and Frank [illegible] good heavy man playing third [illegible] the next year that Joe Setton appeared [illegible] low comedian. Then Annie Ebert [illegible] raised by the Foster's, [illegible] Minnie Monk [illegible] [illegible] Colin Stuart as leading man.

Another [illegible] old church-yard, [illegible] at the [illegible] ing the [illegible] Then was the [illegible] school house on [illegible] [illegible] was [illegible]

Between [illegible] and the time [illegible] Hamlet got [illegible] star who had become stranded [illegible] across [illegible] than any [illegible] who played leads for [illegible] was a No. [illegible] great feeling [illegible]

We may be [illegible] that well-[illegible] ter in [illegible] three [illegible] not [illegible]

Talked of in New York

GEORGE C. JENKINS.

NEW YORK, Jan. [illegible]—[illegible] Gazette.] [illegible] ground [illegible] ear [illegible] we [illegible] with [illegible] ways, no matter [illegible] reason. It is [illegible] winter, but [illegible] are most [illegible] especially [illegible] temperature is [illegible] the neighborhood [illegible] Quarrels over [illegible] [illegible] port [illegible] weather there is [illegible] [illegible] cars without [illegible] [illegible] pneumonia in the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

PURE FOOD BILL PASSES HOUSE

Provides for Bureau of Foods. Penalizes Selling Impure Eatables and Drugs.

THE VOTE WAS 201 TO 68

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The house passed the Hepburn pure food bill today on a rising vote, 201 to 68, its opponents being unable to secure a roll call on the bill. The amendment of yesterday inserting the word "wilful," with reference to persons who sell adulterated or misbranded goods, and which would have compelled the government to prove intent to violate the law by the vendors, was stricken out on a yea and nay vote in the house. Several attempts were made to amend the bill, but no material changes were made.

The bill fixes the standards of foods and drugs as to their purity, strength and character, and defines what shall be considered adulterations or misbranding of foods and drugs. It also prohibits interstate commerce in and importation and exportation of such misbranded or adulterated articles. It is proposed to enlarge the scope of the bureau of chemistry to include "the bureau of foods and impose upon it the duty of performing all chemical work for the other executive departments. This bureau will be charged with the duty of inspecting food and drug products which belong to interstate or foreign commerce. The secretary of agriculture is given authority to employ such chemists, inspectors, clerks and laborers as may be necessary for the enforcement of the act.

One section of the bill provides penalties for the introduction of adulterated or misbranded foods or drugs, and another section requires the secretary of agriculture to prescribe rules and regulations to govern the director of the bureau of chemistry and foods in examinations of articles required to be inspected under the law. Violations of the law shall be reported by the secretary of agriculture to the proper district attorney of the United States, who is directed to cause proceedings to be prosecuted without delay.

SHOW RELATIONS OF MACHEN AND GROFFS

Defense Accuses Another Postal Inspector of Coaching Witnesses, in Postal Fraud Trial.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—In the postal trial today the government introduced further evidence tending to show the relations existing between Machen, the Groff brothers and the Lorenzes, in connection with the sale of letter-box fasteners to the government. Several witnesses from Cleveland and Toledo having connection with banking institutions testified to various deposits by the Lorenzes of checks of D. B. Groff for large amounts and to certain debits made against their individual accounts. These witnesses were Henry Humphreys, clerk in the Society for Savings bank of Cleveland, and Harry Halstead, clerk of the Home Savings Bank Company of Toledo.

William F. Sapp, assistant superintendent of free delivery, Toledo, O., was recalled and identified the signature of Dr. Lorenz to certain letters to the Society for Savings bank of Cleveland, O. Counsel for defense admitted that Dr. and Mrs. Lorenz had separate accounts in the bank against which either could draw.

N. H. Baumgartner, Machen's brother-in-law, secretary of the Deposit Trust Company of Westminster, Md., testified as to Machen's deposits with that company.

Henry C. Lockwood, chief clerk, city delivery, New York postoffice, said that by a letter dated February 1, 1896, he was informed that 2000 Groff fasteners were ordered supplied to his office, without any requisition first having been made therefor. The initials, "A. W. M." were on the letter. Witness never saw Machen sign his initials, but supposed the letter came from his department. After objections by the defense, Justice Pritchard ruled that he would require proof that Machen did sign the initials or it was not evidence against the accused.

The subject of the coaching of witnesses by Postoffice Inspector Mayer again came up and Mr. Douglass, for the defense, said he would also include Postoffice Inspector Gregory in the charge. The matter finally was passed over on the statement of Mr. Kunkler, counsel for the Lorenzes, that he would procure affidavits to support the charge. He offered to produce one such affidavit tiday, but District Attorney Beach objected.

VETERANS NOW OBJECT TO MONUMENT AWARD

Dissatisfied Because They Were Not Consulted About Antietam Memorials.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, Jan. 20.—Formal protest against the action of the Antietam battlefield commission in awarding the contract to the Vanambridge Granite Company of Boston, without competition, for the erection of the 1... regimental monuments was made to Gov. Pennypacker today by committees from the Forty-eighth, One Hundredth and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth Pennsylvania regiments.

The committees, through their attorney, W. J. Whitehouse of Pottsville, complained that the contract was awarded without consultation with them as to the designs or the character of material to be used in the construction of the monuments of these regiments, and that the work should be done by Pennsylvania firms. The governor promised to take up the matter with the commission.

The last legislature appropriated $82,500 for the erection, under the direction of a commission, of monuments on the Antietam battlefield to mark the positions of the Forty-fifth, Forty-eighth, Fiftieth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth, One Hundred and Thirtieth, One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Pennsylvania regiments, Twelfth Pennsylvania Volunteer cavalry and Durrell's battery. The commission recently awarded the contract for all these monuments to the Boston firm without competition and without consulting many of the regimental organizations.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Samuel Perrin	Pittsburgh
Lucy M. Norman	Pittsburgh
John Reitz	Allegheny
Bertha Kaplar	Allegheny
James R. Frederick	Greensburg
Jennie M. Coleman	Indiana
John M. Hester	McKeesport
Patricia M. Hurley	McKeesport
William Hackenberger	Pittsburgh
Margaret Wallace	Pittsburgh
Thomas Dolan	Allegheny
Ira J. Rader	Allegheny
John C. Smith	Bakerstown
Laura A. Hayes	Millvale
Lawrence Krodel, Jr.	Allegheny
Marie M. Soboll	Allegheny
Spencer Millner	Homestead
Ada Alexander	Homestead
Wyatt H. Goring	Pittsburgh
Edith J. Smith	Shippensburg
Arthur G. Miller	Pittsburgh
Georgiana Gordon	Pittsburgh
Nathan E. Brown	Pittsburgh
Mary Gill	Pittsburgh
Michael Nugent	Pittsburgh
Mayme Dignam	Pittsburgh
William R. Worstell	Uniontown, O.
Keturah N. Harrah	Allegheny
Leon A. Wilcox	Allegheny
M. Alice Donaghue	Allegheny
Martin Burke	Pittsburgh
Margaret Hagan	Pittsburgh
Charles H. Yost	Allegheny
Hilda Abel	Pittsburgh
Harry R. Stein	Sharpsburg
Catherine L. Strauch	Sharpsburg
Robert E. Kelly	Allegheny
Mary A. Sanders	Allegheny

EXPERTS TESTIFY FOR BECHTELS

Only One Article Taken from Girl's House Contained Human Blood.

WHOLE FAMILY GO ON STAND

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ALLENTOWN, PA., Jan. 20.—The battle of the experts on blood in the Bechtel trial came to an end this evening and tomorrow every member of the Bechtel family will be placed in the witness stand in an endeavor to prove that the aged mother is not guilty of being an accessory after the fact in the killing of her wayward daughter Mabel. The defense called six experts today and each declared that the biological or Bordet test, the new method of determining the difference between human and animal blood was not a standard one, and it was unreliable.

One of the principal witnesses against the Bordet test admitted that he had never made a test by that method. This caused Judge Trexler to instruct the jury to pay no attention to any testimony given relative to the Bordet theory by a witness who is not fully conversant with the principles of the test. "A man ignorant of a subject is not qualified to testify against it as an expert," he said, "and you might as well call anybody, even savages, to testify that they knew nothing at all about the biological test."

The experts called today testified that only one of the many articles taken from the Bechtel home contained human blood, and that one was the undervest worn by the girl when she was found dead.

Refused to Dismiss Case.

Before the defense opened its case today the court was asked to instruct the jury to render a verdict of not guilty because not sufficient evidence had been presented to hold Mrs. Bechtel but the court decided that the trial should proceed. Judge Trexler adding that he did not wish at this time to pass upon the merits of the evidence presented.

Attorney Schaadt, in opening the case for the defense, said that he would prove that all stains made were either from tobacco juice or from Thomas Bechtel's dog. He said it would also be shown that no member of the Bechtel family had a hand in the killing of Mabel and that she was murdered away from home.

In opposing a motion by the defendant's counsel for a dismissal of the indictment against Mrs. Catherine Bechtel, on the ground of lack of evidence, District Attorney Lichtenwalner stated that although the commonwealth's case rested entirely upon circumstantial evidence, it was of sufficient strength to warrant the placing of the indictments before a jury.

"The theory of the commonwealth," he said, "is that Thomas Bechtel was the principal felon. We believe that he committed the crime and after its commission was shielded by Mrs. Catherine Bechtel."

Dr. Morris F. Cawley, a physician of this city, was called to testify concerning the much-discussed blood stains. He said the microscopic and chemical tests failed to show blood stains on the carpet, hatchet and bedding submitted to him to analyze. But blood was found on the wall paper and undervest.

Marks Not Blood Stains.

Dr. Cawley was followed on the stand by Dr. W. A. Kausman of the Allentown hospital staff and instructor of histology at Muhlenberg college. He carried Dr. Cawley in his test, and corroborated everything he said. Of all the articles taken from the Bechtel home he found human blood on only one, and that was the dead girl's undervest.

Dr. Alvin Davidson, professor of biology at Lafayette college; Dr. Milton Nobles of Philadelphia, and Drs. R. Keeler Hartzell and Fred A. Fethercif of Allentown, were examined in quick succession. They all discredited the biological or Bordet test. They said it was too new to be standard and that it was not definite. Dr. Fethcrif quoted Dr. Ewing of New York as declaring it not an isolated scientific fact.

Attorney Schaadt, for the defense, said he will call Mrs. Bechtel to the stand tomorrow afternoon and that her children will follow her in the order of their seniority.

FOR BOBBY BURNS.

Local Scots Will Celebrate Anniversary of Poet's Birth.

The Scots of Pittsburgh and vicinity will celebrate the 155th anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, in Cyclorama hall, Beech and Irwin avenues, Allegheny, next Monday night. The annual "Bobby" Burns banquet will not be held this year, as it has been decided that the money formerly expended for the banquet should be turned over to a memorial fund for the erection of a monument to the Scottish poet.

The celebration this year will be confined to a Scottish entertainment under the auspices of Clan McPherson, No. 50, O. S. C., and there the kith'd clans will gather to do honor to their immortal bard. An excellent program has been arranged with the following committee in charge: James Thompson, James King, James Starr, Charles McNaughton, Stewart Will, Alexander Douglas, James Black and James Will. The ladies of the society will serve refreshments.

TYPHOID FEVER HEADS LIST OF FATAL DISEASES

There were 158 deaths in the city last week, as against 185 the week before and 154 the same week last year. The principal causes were: Typhoid fever, 23; pneumonia, 22; consumption, 12; smallpox, 3; violence, 11. During the week there were reported 75 cases of typhoid fever, 19 of scarlet fever, 21 of diphtheria and 8 of smallpox. Five cases of typhoid fever, three of scarlet fever and two of diphtheria were reported.

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EXPERTS ACCEPT CITY COMMISSION

Meet in Pittsburgh Tuesday to Begin Work on Filtration Plans.

LETTER RECEIVED FROM [illegible]

The three filtration experts employed by councils have accepted the $5,000 made by the finance committee in their services in passing upon the estimates of Director E. M. Bigelow in furnishing an estimate of the cost of a plant large enough to supply the entire city. A communication to this effect was received yesterday by Assistant Controller E. S. Morrow, who is chairman of the finance committee.

Mr. Morrow, at the request of the experts, sent a telegram to John W. Hill of Philadelphia, stating that they would be expected in Pittsburgh next Tuesday, and that a meeting of the finance committee had been called for 10:30 o'clock to confer with them to make the final arrangements.

According to the letter received yesterday from John W. Hill, who also represents the other two experts, they expect to make their report by February 1, the time set in the resolution, although it is the opinion of the assistant controller that this limit is not mandatory. The city directory, and that the time could be extended without special authority from councils. The letter from Mr. Hill received yesterday was as follows:

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. [illegible], 1904.
Assistant Controller E. S. Morrow, Pittsburg, Pa.

Dear Sir—In reply to yours of the [illegible] inst., I would state that I have conferred with Col. A. M. Miller and Mr. [illegible] Fleming, and we have mutually agreed to accept the joint proposition of councils to pay our own traveling and hotel expenses. We do this in view of the fact that we will have to work under high pressure in order to comply with the second and present report to the finance committee of councils within the time mentioned in the resolution, viz.: February 1, 1904.

We will meet in Pittsburgh on Tuesday morning, January 26, at which time we trust the city's representatives will be able to submit to us the plans, estimates and such other facts as will be needed in order to promptly and accurately carry out the intent of the resolution of councils.

Hoping that this may meet with your approbation, I remain, Yours very truly,

JOHN W. HILL, Chief Engineer.

The finance committee will meet at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, when a understanding will be reached concerning the work to be taken up by the experts. Director E. M. Bigelow and Morris Knowles, resident filtration engineer, will be asked to turn over the plans and Director Bigelow's estimates which were submitted to councils on September 14. These estimates for the expenditure of $7,126,000, upon the original estimate of $6,000,000, Allen Hazen for a plant not to exceed more than $8,655,000, and which have been largered by the addition of many new items by Director Bigelow.

Engineer Hill, who has been granted leave of absence by Director of Public Works Costello, in speaking of his proposed work in Pittsburgh, said yesterday to Chester B. Potter, The Gazette's Philadelphia correspondent in Philadelphia:

I am not familiar with all the conditions which we are expected to deal with, as I know, Pittsburgh has been endeavoring to solve the filtration problem since Superintendent Bing's decision two years ago. The last decision a contract could not be made on to the new charter of the city until all bonds were completed and certified. In addition to this, if bids were received the work exceeded the estimated cost, as the contract would be awarded. Consequently the project has been held in abeyance.

Under Mr. Knowles' direction the plans have been revised and different data ascertaining to pumping, engines, new [illegible] mains have been added. All this data has been prepared and a portion of the cost has been provided for by a recent [illegible] appropriation. Upward of $3,000,000 has been received and is now held in the city treasury to carry on the work.

Now, as I understand it, councils must approve the plans before any of the money is appropriated. We contemplate, on my succession, of which I am a member, being appointed to review the plans upon which the estimates are based.

"The commission will have power to approve or correct the plans, revise and correct the data, say whether the supply as planned will be sufficient to meet the needs of the people of Pittsburgh, including the districts on the South Side, which is now supplied by the independent water company.

BISHOP LIKES SINGING.

Rt. Rev. Canevin Suggests Changes to Congregations Will Join With Choir.

"I believe in the congregation singing with the choir," said Coadjutor Bishop J. F. Regis Canevin. Following the announcement in the pope to-day that boys must supplant women in choir singers and that the old Gregorian chant be sung, Bishop Canevin will shortly issue an order to the churches in his diocese setting forth the required changes. It is not likely, however, that boys will take the place of women in the Pittsburgh Catholic churches. The bishop said he favored congregational singing and hoped the proposed departure from established methods of choir conducting would result in general singing during exercises.

Joseph Otten, organist of the church of the Ephiphany, said that no changes are to be made in his choir.

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DEATHS.

COOPER—On Monday, January 18, 1904, at 10:45 a. m., at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. Boyde Long of Versailles, Pa., DIXON BOYER COOPER, aged 21 years. A.

Funeral services on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock at Jefferson Methodist Episcopal church, near Gillhall, Pa. Interment at Jefferson cemetery.

BONNER—On Wednesday morning, January 20, 1904, at the residence of his son, H. P. Donner, No. 451 Orchard place, Knoxville, the REV. H. H. DONNER, in his 67th year. Funeral services in the German Baptist church, Nineteenth street, South Side, Pittsburgh, Friday afternoon, January 22, 1904, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment in South Side cemetery.

HEEREN—On Wednesday, January 20, 1904, at Cincinnati, O., HERMAN E. HEEREN.

Funeral from residence of his brother, William Heeren, 4733 Center avenue, on Friday, January 22, at 2 p. m.

HENRY—On Tuesday morning, January 19, 1904, at her residence in Washington City, MARY REINHART, wife of James S. Henry, and daughter of James Meff. Reinhart, aged 36 years.

Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. S. H. Church, 634 South Negley avenue, Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment private at a later hour.

POFF—On Tuesday, January 19, 1904, at 4 p. m., MYRTLE LOUELLA POFF, in her 17th year.

Funeral services this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the residence of her grandfather, Franklin Poff, in Hampton township. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SHAFFER—On Wednesday, January 21, 1904, ADOLPH B. SHAFFER, aged 49 years. Funeral from his late residence, No. 931 Forty-fourth street, one Friday afternoon, January 22, 1904, at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited.

SMITH—On Monday, January 18, 1904, at 8:25 p. m., ALFRED B. SMITH, aged 79 years and 4 months.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 235 Jucunda street, Knoxville, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Wheeling papers please copy.)

WALSH—On Wednesday, January 20, 1904, at 4:20 a. m., at the family residence, corner Knox and Summit streets, Knoxville, JAMES V., JR., youngest child of James V. and Mary A. Walsh (nee Fitzgerald), aged 10 months and 27 days.

Funeral from the residence, corner Knox and Summit streets, Knoxville, on Friday, January 22, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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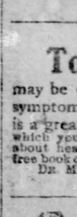

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Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses, ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 2d day of February A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto as evidence thereon.

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Director Arthur A. Hamerschlag of the Carnegie technical schools yesterday afternoon in an address before the Principals' association outlined the relations the "Tech" is to bear to the public schools. The principals some time ago extended an invitation to Mr. Hamerschlag to speak at their meeting on the subject. A discussion followed the address. He said in part:

Whatever we hope to accomplish must be built up by the public schools. We cannot take green material and hope to do anything with it. Those we do take into our schools we will give a better rudimentary knowledge of science than they receive at the public schools and will fit them for life in their chosen vocations.

There will be three departments: First, the primary grade; second, we will take that element which does not seek a higher education, because it has not the money to pay for it; third, we must care for the girls.

Not Seek to Tear Down.

We must make a canvass of the public schools, universities, academies, etc., in this section. These we will make a medium. We will not seek to tear them down. On the contrary, we will seek to benefit them.

We must be careful. If we erect great buildings, make the schools attractive, we will, at the outset, draw the flower of the pupils at the various educational institutions away from the— These will remain for a year or two and will go out in the world, their education uncompleted. This we will not do. No single course of study will be arranged for until we get our enrollment. We are going to get our enrollment before we get our faculty. Before we erect our buildings. We will not establish a study unless there is a demand for it. Mr. Carnegie's idea is to give the community what it needs, not what some might want it to have. We are not going to teach Germain, Latin, French or geology. We are not going to make civics a special study. For these we must trust to you.

Not Hurt High School.

Nor do I think our schools are going to hurt the high school. There are now 60 per cent of the children of this section who do not go to high schools after leaving the lower grades. Of these we expect to reach at least 10 per cent and fit them for the future. This can be accomplished without hurting the high school at all.

Mr. Hamerschlag said, in reply to a question, that he thought the age for admission to the technical schools should be 16. He thought this would prove the means of keeping in the public schools many boys and girls who now start to work when 13, 14 and 15 years old. He said that the prospects of a technical education would prove an incentive for them to fit themselves for getting it.

Several of the principals differed from Mr. Hamerschlag, they thinking that 16 was too high.

Too Hard Work for Young Boys.

To this he replied: "Those who want a technical education will go to the Carnegie schools. They must be physically able to handle the tools placed in their hands—to move the weights they will work with, and very few boys under 16 are fit for this."

A resolution was presented by R. H. Holbrook and J. K. Ellwood requesting that a "teachers' college" be provided in connection with the new school. In support of this it was stated that the public school teacher would be expected to take up new studies in order to fit their pupils for entrance to the technical school. Mr. Hamerschlag, in speaking on this subject, said he was willing that the teachers receive all possible instruction from his school, but that the establishment of a "teachers' college" was out of the question. He said that a canvass of the teachers in the Sixteenth ward schools has been made on the subject and that the results were very discouraging. Not one of the more than 40 teachers would agree to attend every night.

ENGINEERS DEBATE CARNEGIE'S OFFER

Some American Society Members Oppose Amalgamation, Even If Losing $1,500,000.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The 51st annual meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers was enlivened today by a lively discussion as to the advisability of accepting a gift of $1,500,000 from Mr. Andrew Carnegie for a union engineering building. It was learned that the finances of the American Society of Civil Engineers, the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Institute of Mining Engineers, the American Institute of Electrical Engineers and the Engineers' club, must be segregated for the support of the building and the organizations amalgamated. The proposed amalgamation was spoken of in tones of deepest contempt as a "Mormon marriage;" was branded as a shipbuilding trust; and was called one thing and another.

There were motions and counter-motions and motions to reconsider; there were resolutions and amendments and quibbles, but Andrew Carnegie's name was spoken always with respect. Some members favored refusing the gift rather than amalgamate. Among those opposing amalgamation was William T. Pickett, a member since 1853, and Robert Cartwright of Rochester, N. Y. John F. O'Rourke and E. C. Olcott were among the defenders of the proposed amalgamation. These resolutions were adopted:

"1. Resolved, That the board of directors be instructed to issue a letter ballot, to be canvassed at the meeting of the society, March 2, 1904, on the question whether this society shall become one of the constituent societies in the occupancy and control of the proposed union engineering building, under the terms outlined by the joint conference committee.

"2. Resolved, That should a majority of the votes cast be favorable, the board is authorized to proceed in the matter, provided the exemption from taxation of the proposed building is assured, and the interests of the society are otherwise fully safeguarded."

FRANK A. PARKER.

BLAIR LEAVES HIS ESTATE IN CHARGE OF HIS WIFE

Document Provides That All His Debt Shall Be Paid as Soon as Possible.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—The will of the late James L. Blair, former general counsel of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company, who died in Eustis, Fla., last week, was filed for probate this afternoon by the executor, John F. Lee.

It is very short, written in Mr. Blair's hand. The will was made June 30, 1899. The first clause provides for payment of funeral expenses and all debts as speedily as possible. In the second clause he bequeaths to his mother, Mrs. Frank P. Blair, a large portrait of his father and all papers written by or relating to the late Gen. Blair.

In making a bequest of the residue of the estate to his wife, Appoline M. Blair, Mr. Blair refers to her as "my darling wife" and leaves to her all the rest of his estate absolutely free and clear of any restrictions, stating he has perfect confidence that she will properly care for Percy and Francis, the two sons.

GIRL WINS DEGREE IN CONTEST WITH MEN

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—The University of Berlin has conferred the degree of doctor of philosophy with the greatest praise on Miss Ina Milroy of Detroit, Mich., for her work in chemistry. She orally defended her proposition against three male opponents. Miss Milroy is the tenth woman to receive a doctorate from the Berlin university, of which number five are Americans.

SOCIETY

ALMOST every other form of entertainment was neglected yesterday afternoon in favor of theater parties, the occasion being the benefit matinee for the Vassar Students' Aid society at the Nixon. The play was "Mice and Men," with Miss Annie Russell's company. Mrs. James J. Donnell, who was one of the patronesses, was hostess to a box party of six, the guests including Mrs. Joseph Wood, and her sister from Harrisburg, Mrs. Remsen Varick Messler. Mrs. Thomas McK. Cook and Mrs. James Wood Scully. Miss Mary Jackson gave a family party, her guests being Mrs. Frank Semple Bissell, Mrs. J. H. McIlvaine, Jack Bissell and John B. Jackson. The two debutante parties were given by Miss Martha Heron, chaperoned by her mother, Mrs. John Heron, and by Miss Edith McClung, whose guests were chaperoned by Mrs. Samuel Alfred McClung. Miss Heron's guests were Miss Marion Clarke, Miss Alberta Harper, Miss Charlotte Kennedy and Mrs. Augustus Gross MacConnell. Miss Mary Rolfe, Miss Anica Humbird, Miss Mary Robinson and Miss Constance Morgan of New London, Conn., were Miss McClung's guests.

Mrs. Alexander Peacock also gave a box party of six, including Mrs. Daniel M. Clemson, Mrs. Clifton A. Verner, Mrs. Samuel Seymour, Mrs. Elizabeth Holmes and Mrs. William S. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Peacock will go east next week. Mrs. Francis T. F. Lovejoy, who is at present in New York, gave her box to her mother, Mrs. Harriet Fleming, who occupied it with her two daughters, Miss Louise Fleming and Miss Harriet Fleming, and her son, Clarence Fleming.

Several theater parties appeared in the parquet, one of these being given by Mrs. Alva Dinkey, who recently came to Pittsburgh to take possession of her home in Ellsworth avenue. Mrs. Dinkey's party included Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Stewart, Miss Jean Allison, Miss Stewart, Miss Caroline Stewart and Miss Betty Walker. Mrs. Charles Kellogg Hill of Perrysville avenue, Allegheny, gave a theater party for nine guests, Mrs. Joseph M. Hunter, Mrs. Marion Bryce, Mrs. Robert Ferree, Miss Helen Hill, Miss Jessie Swan, Miss Carrie Cavitt, Miss Gertrude Scott and Miss Mayme Nicholson. Mr. and Mrs. Hill and the other members of their family will take possession of their Pittsburgh home in Morewood avenue next week.

Mrs. James Barker and her daughter, Miss May Barker, also gave a theater party, their guests including Miss Josephine Mahon of Albany, who was a Vassar classmate of Miss Barker and the honor guest at the party; Miss May Barker, Miss Ella Barker, Miss Mary Barker, Mrs. George Barker, Mrs. Thomas Rex, Miss Mary Rex and Miss Edith Rex. Mrs. Barker gave a dinner after the play for her guests. Another small party at the benefit was that given by Mrs. William Blackstock Rodgers of Stanton avenue, who preceded the play with a breakfast at the Schenley.

Abel—Voight.

One of the prettiest of the smaller home weddings of the season was that of Miss Hilda E. Abel and Dr. Charles H. Voight, which took place last evening at the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming Abel, in Murtland avenue. The Rev. Dr. John M. Prugh performed the ceremony, at 6 o'clock in the presence of about 60 guests, including only the immediate relatives of both families. The bride was given away by her brother. The best man was Dr. James Witherspoon.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white crepe meteor trimmed with Duchess lace. The yoke was shirred, as was also the top of the skirt, while low over the sleeves fell a bertha of lace. In her hair was a cluster of orange blossoms and her only ornament was a diamond pin, Dr. Voight's wedding gift. Her bouquet was of orchids and valley lilies.

After the ceremony an informal reception was held, Mrs. Abel, in a gown of cream net, receiving with the bridal couple. Palm decorations for the wedding were carried out in green and white. An altar effect was formed in the drawing room with palms, and at either side of the white satin pile dieu was a tall brass standard of white lilies. Ferns banked the mantel and smilax was trailed about the walls. A shower of pink roses decked the chandelier. The hall, where the musicians were stationed, was decorated with ferns and palms, and in the dining room, where a buffet supper was served after the reception, the table had a centerpiece of white lilacs and roses. The chandelier was showered with the same.

Dr. and Mrs. Voight left last evening for New York, from which port they will sail this morning for a five-weeks' trip to the Bermudas. After March 1 they will be at home in North avenue, Allegheny. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Louisa Abel and the late Joseph Abel.

A Spring Wedding.

The engagement of Miss Lillian Wallace and Henry B. Haller of Wheeling, W. Va., was announced last evening at a dinner given by Miss Wallace at her home in Fifth avenue. The engagement will terminate in a wedding on Friday, April 15, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clarke Wallace, in Fifth avenue. The maid of honor will be Miss Marion Everson, a cousin of the bride-elect, and the bridesmaid will be Miss Rose Haller, a sister of the prospective bridegroom. Miss Flora Kirkpatrick, a small niece of Miss Wallace, will serve as flower girl. Mr. Haller will have as his best man Eugene Landegberg of Philadelphia, and the groomsman will be John S. Wallace, a brother of the bride-elect. The Rev. Dr. William L. McEwan will officiate. After their wedding trip Mr. Haller and his bride will live in Wilkinsburg. At the dinner covers were laid for Miss Haller, who is visiting Miss Wallace; Mrs. H. Prescot Simpson, Mrs. William Keller, Miss Stella Ommert, Miss Edna Caskey, Miss Ella Caskey, Miss Marion Everson, Miss Charlotte Martin, Miss Grace Everson, Mrs. John Tanner and the hostess. Euchre was played after dinner, the ladies being joined by H. Prescott Simpson, Jack Sheratt, William Keller, Harry Fowler, John Tanner, Dr. William Martin, Gordon Simpson and Paul Ache. The dinner decorations were in red and white carnations.

Luncheon for Miss Macbeth.

One of the smartest little affairs of the past few weeks was Mrs. David T. Watson's luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Helen Macbeth, who was introduced early in November. Covers were laid for Miss Macbeth, Miss Marguerite Singer, Miss Alice Schmertz, Miss Emily Lyon, Miss Mary Mellon, Miss Marion Clarke, Miss Gladys Painter, Miss Eleanor Painter, Miss Jeannette Abbott, Miss Isabel Pontefract, Miss Eleanor DuPuy, Miss Amy DuPuy, Miss Gertrude Irwin, Mrs. Henry Lafayette Collins and the hostess. As the guests arrived they were received by Mrs. Watson and the young honor guest, the former in a handsome gown of white cloth embroidered in lavendar, and Miss Macbeth wearing white silk and lace, with a dainty white lace hat.

The Attorney General Entertained.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Attorney General and Mrs. Knox entertained tonight at their home in K street the chief justice of the supreme court and Mrs. Fuller. Mrs. Knox received her guests in a gown of white tulle, elaborately palletted in silver, with trimmings of pale green velvet. To meet the chief justice and Mrs. Fuller were Justice Harlan, Justice and Mrs. Brewer, Justice and Mrs. White, Justice and Mrs. McKenna, Justice and Mrs. Oliver Wendell Holmes, Justice and Mrs. Day, Mrs. Peckham, wife of Justice Peckham; Solicitor General and Mrs. Hoyt, Mrs. William S. Cowles and Mrs. George Harton Singe, of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Knox's sister.

Montgomery—Scott.

WAYNESBURG, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A wedding that attracted the attention of many prominent people took place here this morning at 5 o'clock, when Deputy Prothonotary Jesse R. Scott and Miss Edna Montgomery were united in marriage by the Rev. J. E. Darby, D. D. The wedding took place at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Montgomery, and was attended by the immediate families and a few intimate friends. A wedding breakfast was served and at 6:15 the couple left on an extended wedding tour. Both are prominent in social circles. They will reside here.

Petty—McDermott.

Miss Mary Inez Petty of McKeesport, and C. W. L. McDermott were married yesterday morning in St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, McKeesport. The bride was attended by Miss Rhoda McDermott, a cousin of the groom. Mr. McDermott was attended by Charles Petty, a brother of the bride. The bride was given away by her father, Thomas Petty. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. A. McDermott, the pastor. A wedding breakfast was served at the Petty residence in Tenth avenue, after which the couple left for the South.

MISS MARTHA HAVEMEYER,
Who Will Be Married Today to Wilbur R. Wilcox in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York.

Steele—Fry.

Miss Florence Steele and C. N. Fry of Franklin, Pa., were married on Tuesday evening at the home of the bride in Morse street, Knoxville. It was a pretty home wedding. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Beatty of Franklin. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Goldie Steele, and James Black was the best man. The bridal gown was of white satin and trimmed with lace, and the bride wore a wedding veil. Her bouquet was composed of white roses. The bridesmaid was prettily gowned in white. After a short wedding trip south Mr. and Mrs. Fry will make their home in Franklin.

Scott—Sterrett.

A pretty home wedding took place at noon Tuesday, the bride was Miss Sara Elwin Scott, the only daughter of the household, and the bridegroom was Samuel Leroy Sterrett, a well-known young business man of South Charleston, O. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. G. Conner, assisted by the Rev. W. J. Sanderson and the Rev. W. G. Robb of Allegheny. The bride wore a gown of white point d'esprit and carried white roses. Mr. and Mrs. Sterrett will make their home in South Charleston, O.

January Entertainments.

Mrs. Louis Dalzell of Ridge avenue will enter the list of Allegheny hostesses with a bridge party next Thursday in honor of Mrs. Horace Moorhead, her sister-in-law.

Mrs. John Z. Lower of Dallas avenue will give a small bridge whist tomorrow afternoon at her home in Dallas avenue, East End.

Mrs. John G. Bennett will be hostess at cards on Monday next at her home in North Highland avenue.

Criswell—Heniger.

Miss Bertha Criswell, youngest daughter of Hon. Joseph Criswell and Phil E. Heniger were married at the bride's home near Butler at noon yesterday in the presence of a large number of friends. After a wedding dinner the bride and bridegroom left for New York. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Heniger and a brother of District Attorney John Heniger.

Announce Daughter's Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fisher of Warren street, Crafton, announce the engagement of their daughter Lida to J. Lloyd Fisher. The wedding, which is to be a quiet affair, will occur next Wednesday, after which the bride and bridegroom will reside with the bridegroom's parents, in Steuben street, West End.

An East End Reception.

Mrs. Harry Harris and Mrs. Edward Browarsky, two recent brides, were honor guests at a large reception given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Hyman Browarsky of Graham street, East End. The hours were from 2 o'clock until 5. Following the reception Mrs. Browarsky gave a dinner for a few guests.

Bridge Whist for Mrs. McVay.

Mrs. Charles Rice yesterday afternoon entertained at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McVay, in Bank street, Sewickley, in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. William P. McVay, a recent bride. About 40 guests were present and the afternoon was spent at bridge whist.

Mrs. Harlow's Luncheon.

Mrs. A. B. Harlow entertained at a luncheon at her home in Beaver street, Sewickley, in honor of Mrs. Eugene Talbot of Chicago, who is visiting in Sewickley. After the luncheon the party attended the meeting of the Women's club.

Christian Endeavor Anniversary.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Second United Presbyterian church, Stockton avenue and Sandusky street, Allegheny, will celebrate its sixteenth anniversary at 8 o'clock this evening. The Rev. Warren G. Partridge, D. D., pastor of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church, Pittsburgh, will be one of the prominent speakers. After the exercises a reunion and reception will be held in the church parlors.

Mr. Webster Talked on Birds.

The Women's club of Sewickley met yesterday afternoon, but owing to the inclement weather the attendance was small. Frederick Webster of the Carnegie institute addressed the club on "Birds." Next week Prof. J. G. C. Troop, assistant professor of English literature at the University of Chicago, will continue his lectures on English essayists, his subject being "Macauley."

Benefit Recital for Rescue Home.

All arrangements have been completed for the George Kiernan recital to be given this evening for the benefit of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Rescue home. The recital will be given at the Webster Conservatory of Music hall, Diltridge street, and the character of the program is so commendable that a large audience is expected.

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AMONG THE CLUBS

Arranging Plans for Conference.

The meeting of the executive board of the permanent civic committee yesterday morning resulted in the appointment of committees to have charge of the arrangements for the mid-winter conference. These committees will not be formally announced until word has been received form the chairmen signifying their willingness to serve. Miss Kate C. McKnight, as president of the State Federation and chairman of the permanent civic committee, will have charge of the program, assisted by other chairmen of the committee. Mrs. Mattie Patterson was appointed last week general chairman of arrangements. Those in charge hope to hold the mid-winter conference about February 12, if certain speakers can be secured for that date and a suitable meeting place found. The women had expected to secure the Second Presbyterian church, but daily meetings under the direction of the Evangelistic committee in Allegheny county will be in progress in that edifice at that time. Other downtown places now under consideration include the chapel of Trinity church, the old Third Presbyterian church, where St. Andrew's church is now worshiping, the Grace Reformed church building, and the Jewish synagogue. There will be three sessions of the conference and Mrs. Ida Houghton Bradford, vice president for Western Pennsylvania, will preside. Conferences will be conducted in the morning and afternoon, and in the evening a public mass meeting will be held in the interests of illitration. Efforts have been made to secure Prof. Charles Zeublin of the Chicago university, former president of the American Civic Federation and a popular lecturer in the University Extension courses, emanating from the Chicago university, to give an address before the club women and their friends.

Selected Subject for Study.

Pittsburgh Sorosis yesterday afternoon selected its subject for study next year. It will include English literature during the period of Swift, Addison and Steele, together with current events, which will be presented at each meeting of the club. The meeting yesterday afternoon was devoted to a study of American poets and humorists. Mrs. J. P. Hyndman was the leader, and the only paper was presented by Mrs. Edwin R. Sullivan, who gave a critical study of Lowell's "Biglow Papers." The program committee of Sorosis is usurping the role of weather prophet from Mr. Ridgway, for one of the features of the program yesterday afternoon, a program prepared last summer, was a series of readings from Whittier's poem, "Snowbound," by Mrs. Crosby, Mrs. S. W. Harper read some extracts from Mark Twain's "Tramps Abroad" in her review of that fascinating book. The absence of Mrs. William S. Berry was the cause of the omission of a paper on Longfellow's "Hiawatha." The members, however, conducted a short informal discussion of the poem, one of the special points mentioned being the pronunciation of the euphonious Indian name, the majority of the women, many of whom have travelled extensively in the west and in the centre of the country, and travels have had opportunities for observing the true Indian pronounciation, agreed that Longfellow used the phonetic spelling when he wrote "Hiawatha," and the name of the ideal Indian brave should be pronounced as it is spelled. Three new members were admitted to the club yesterday afternoon, Miss Ella Coffin, Mrs. Elizabeth Sanderson and Mrs. Ernest W. Marland.

Parlor Conferences.

A new feature of the women's work in the Fourth Avenue Baptist church will be inaugurated this morning, when the first of a series of parlor conferences will be held at the home of Mrs. Scott A. White, in North Craig street, Bellefield, at 10:30 o'clock. The Rev. John D. Nutting, pastor in Salt Lake City from 1892 until 1898, and at present secretary of the Utah Gospel mission, will speak on "Mormonism." These conferences will be held at no stated time, but it is expected that at least one will be announced for each month, and they will be conducted independently of other meetings of the women of the church. These will be discussions of current events in different parts of the world as they affect the work of the church and its missionaries, and the gatherings are intended for social and intellectual interchange.

Domestic Science and Art.

An interesting program is being arranged for the meeting of the Woman's club on February 10. Mrs. Alexander C. Latimer is the leader for that day, the general subject being "Domestic Science and Art." Mrs. Dallas Albert will give an address on the work of kitchen garden, or, as Arthur Hamerschlag styles it, child's housekeeping. This subject is of special interest just now, as the club women of Homestead have decided to introduce it into the summer playground and vacation school, which they will open during the summer weeks in Homestead. In California and other portions of the west it is an important feature of the curriculum of the vacation schools, and kitchen gardening for the girls and carpentry for the boys are included in their work if nothing else is possible.

Lectures in Oakland.

The Rev. Edward H. Ward lectured last evening in the parish house of St. Peter's church, Oakland, on "Things I Saw in England and Scotland." The proceeds of the lecture will be devoted to the work of the Altar Guild.

Artistic anatomy was the subject of the lecture which Dr. T. D. Barton Johnson delivered last evening before the Art Students' league in the Clarke studio in Craft avenue and Emily street. The lecture was the second in a series of six Dr. Johnson is giving before the members of the league.

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Stockholders of Monongahela Concern Hear Report of Large Earnings.

TWO NEW MEN ON BOARD

Prosperity is reflected in the report of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company's report for the fourth year of its history, ended October 31. The report was submitted to the stockholders by the former president, J. B. Finley, at the annual meeting held at the company's office yesterday. It was shown that the company has $4,217,118 94 excess of assets over liabilities, an increase of $777,544 39 over the year before. The balance for the year is $921,570 71.

The directors elected for the year are Francis L. Robbins, Henry W. Oliver, A. W. Mellon, J. B. Finley, S. S. Brown, George I. Whitney, George W. Theis, John A. Bell and W. R. Woodford. This directorate differs from the one which has had control of the river company since the Pittsburgh Coal Company acquired a majority of its stock by the restoration of Messrs. Whitney and Finley to the board, Capt. August Jutte and Capt. John A. Wood retiring.

The statement of liquid assets and liabilities follows:

	1902.	1903.	Increase.	Decrease.
Cash on hand and in banks	$ 518,891 51	$ 314,522 62	$	$ 636 51	
Accounts and bills receivable	2,957,168 38	2,616,104 11		658,935 73	
Coal on hand	1,822,970 84	2,080,543 52		257,572 68	
Supplies on hand	812,474 84	712,840 17			$100,634 67
Total	$6,907,505 67	$6,724,009 82		$917,508 92	$100,634 67
Current debt	2,467,931 12	2,507,866 88		39,459 76	
Excess of assets	$4,439,574 55	$4,217,118 94		$777,544 39	

THE YEAR'S EARNING RECORD.

Below is the statement of earnings for the year:

Profits, after deducting all expenses, bad debts and other losses		$3,713,369 83
Less maintenance and repairs on river craft	$696,347 12	
Depreciation charged off	329,110 47	935,457 59
		$2,777,912 24
Interest paid on bonds	$568,680 00	
Interest accrued on bonds	46,750 00	
Interest accrued on certificates of indebtedness	34,372 33	
Dividends No. 6 and No. 7 on preferred stock	699,650 00	
Royalty on coal mined—		
Reinvested in coal lands and other properties	$266,203 90	
Used to retire bonds	241,324 30	507,528 20 1,856,341 53
Balance for the year		$ 921,570 71
Undivided profits, October 31, 1902		1,037,087 84
Undivided profits		$1,958,658 55

BOND ACCOUNT.

Bonds outstanding October 31, 1902	$9,468,000 00
Bonds paid and cancelled year ending October 31, 1903	118,000 00
Bonds outstanding October 31, 1903	$9,350,000 00
(Note)—	
Cash in sinking fund in possession of Union Trust Company of Pittsburgh, trustee, to be applied to payment of bonds	$ 106,904 30

Since the organization of your company the fixed investments have increased $727,494 54
The bonded debt has been reduced 650,000 00

Coal lands purchased on the Monongahela river		3391 acres
Mined	3225	
Sold	65—3290 acres	
Increase:		11 acres

Coal mined year ended October 31, 1900	143,815,363 bushels
Coal mined year ended October 31, 1901	151,291,197 bushels
Coal mined year ended October 31, 1902	165,146,840 bushels
Coal mined year ended October 31, 1903	193,221,674 bushels

November 1, 1903.

Has as Much Coal as at Start.

The fact that the company has been actively engaged in the mining of coal for four years and has produced over 620,000,000 bushels, or about 25,000,000 tons of coal, and at the close has more coal land than it had at the start, speaks well for the provision for the future. The acreage is being kept, however, close to the amount which is accepted as the safest.

At the start of its operations the bond issue was $10,000,000. This issue had at the close of the fiscal year been reduced to $9,350,000. Since that time the Union Trust Company has advertised for bonds sufficient to take up $106,904 30 more, which has been accumulated by the sinking fund for the retirement of the bonds. Thus the bonds have been reduced by about $750,000 in the four years. The sinking fund is created by 5 cents on each ton of coal being set aside for the purpose.

The past year has seen the most important change in the company since its formation in 1899. The Pittsburgh Coal Company, the largest coal company in the world, has secured the control of the River company through the purchase of a majority of the latter's capital stock. The organization of the new board will be with Francis L. Robbins, president of the Pittsburgh Coal Company, as president of the River company.

ALLEGED MISMANAGEMENT.

Brewing Corporation Seeks to Collect Big Sum from Former Directors.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Desiring, it is said, to prosecute claims against its former board of directors to recover $1,855,000 dividends alleged to have been illegally paid out of its stock instead of from profits and $650,000 damages, the American Malting Company today asked leave to file an amended answer to an action in which it is named as defendant.

The plaintiffs allege the payment of dividends rendered the company practically insolvent, so that the directors had to borrow $4,000,000 on a bond issue.

The defendants deny they were guilty of carelessness or fraud. The company is now carrying on its business with a new board of directors. Justice Leventritt reserved his decision.

ARMY BOOKS FORBIDDEN.

Kaiser Forbids Officers Writing Criticisms on Any Military Subject.

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The kaiser is highly incensed at the number of books and plays by officers in the army which have been published lately and have disclosed a high degree of corruption in military circles all over the country.

To put an end to this the minister of war has now issued an order forbidding any officer, whether in active service or on the retired list, to publish or sell to any publisher any book dealing with military subjects or to criticise military rules and regulations in the daily press. This last part of the order is evidently intended to prevent further criticism of the many changes made by the kaiser in German uniforms.

CHURCH WILL CELEBRATE.

Bishop Whitehead to Attend Anniversary of Grace Church Tonight.

Grace Protestant Episcopal church, Bertha and Sycamore streets, Mt. Washington, tonight will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of its existence. The Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, bishop of the Pittsburgh diocese, will be a speaker. The Rev. Dr. John Crocker White of St. Andrews will also speak.

The special services will be conducted by the Rev. R. J. Coster, who for 30 years has been rector of the congregation.

GETS SHOCK FROM WATER.

John Longmore Loses a Valuable Horse in a Strange Way.

Driving into a pool of water at Plummer and Forty-third streets, which was charged with electricity from a broken light wire, John Longmore, an oil dealer of 5133 Camelia street, was badly shocked and one of two horses killed outright. The animal was valued at $200.

The wires then began to behave strangely, throwing off sparks. So much excitement was caused by this and the falling of the horse that an alarm of fire was sounded.

Samuel Wainwright President.

At a meeting of the John Smith Sons' Brewing Company at Youngstown, O., yesterday the following officers and directors were elected: President, Samuel Wainwright of Pittsburgh; vice president and general manager, John F. Hynes; secretary and treasurer, J. J. Hamilton; directors, Samuel Wainwright, J. J. Hamilton, John F. Hynes, James McGraw and Michael McAllister.

EAST PITTSBURGH CHIEF SUSPENDED INDEFINITELY

CHIEF OF POLICE THOMAS BRODERICK

Chief of Police Thomas Broderick of East Pittsburgh has been suspended for an indefinite period by the borough council charged with placing a policeman on duty without the knowledge of the police committee. Broderick claims he was given permission to employ the officer. Politics is said to be back of the suspension, as Broderick was an active worker for the Republican party during the last county fight, and two of the members of the police committee were identified with the Citizens movement.

PERSONALS

The expanded metal lath manufacturers held a meeting yesterday at the Hotel Lincoln. It is one of the periodical meetings called by the president of the association when business conditions warrant a conference on matters pertaining to the output of metal laths, which are rapidly supplanting wooden material. The metal laths are used on all fireproof buildings. Among those at the meeting were George P. Bullard, Boston; J. F. Golding, New York; T. W. Barrett, Toronto, and Walter P. Chess, Pittsburgh.

The National Petroleum association met at the Lincoln yesterday. Two sessions were held, at which subjects pertaining to the petroleum industry were discussed. The association is composed of nearly all the oil producers with the exception of the Standard Oil Company. Among those present were L. Cuddy, D. A. Wall, L. A. Murphy, E. W. McArdle, George Canfield, Louis Carruth, H. E. Worthington, W. C. Deglin, R. A. Pott, C. A. Wales and George P. Brockaway.

Thomas H. Flynn, national organizer of the American Federation of Labor, returned yesterday from Philadelphia. He has been in that city several days organizing the workmen. At the last convention of the A. F. of L. it was decided that every international organization should assist the national organizers in thoroughly bringing all the workmen within the folds of the Federation. One hundred organizers are in Philadelphia in the interest of the cause.

The Rev. George Hodges, D. D., dean of the Episcopal Theological seminary, Cambridge, is here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Stewart, Wilkins and Fifth avenues, having come to address the men of the Episcopal churches tomorrow. Dean Hodges has also accepted other invitations. Sunday morning he will preach in his old church, Calvary Episcopal, and at night in the Church of the Ascension. Saturday afternoon he will conduct the services known as "Quiet Day for Women" at St. Andrew's church. Dean Hodges will be here until Monday evening, when he leaves for New York.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The nearby residents registered at the local hotels last night were as follows:

Seventh Avenue—T. E. Breidel, Youngstown; C. A. Arnold, Zanesville; H. Moyer, Akron; J. S. Carmichael, Franklin; J. W. Murray, Beech Creek.

Duquesne—T. K. Smith, Sistersville.

Henry—Thomas A. Long, Uniontown; H. A. Robinson, Akron; A. G. Morgan, Wheeling; Walter Senior, Webster.

Griswold—G. S. Book, Youngstown; Milton Bustable, Buchanan; J. Kramer, Scottdale.

Monongahela House—W. E. Whittaker, Wheeling; W. H. Wilson, Latrobe; R. J. Wick, Youngstown; D. L. Murray, Wheeling.

Lincoln—C. B. Cook, Wheeling; A. L. Confer, Oil City.

Colonial—H. G. Wilson, Altoona; H. R. Mattern, Franklin; L. C. Wolf, Wheeling.

Anderson—C. G. Stevens, Wellsville; E. F. Gary, Lock Haven.

Newell's—F. O. Bingham, West Newton.

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MARKET HOUSE ON ALLEGHENY WHARF

Dealers Fear That New Railroad Branch Will Crowd Them Off Duquesne Way.

CALL UPON DIRECTOR BIGELOW

Director E. M. Bigelow yesterday received another delegation. A committee from the Fruit Growers' Association of Allegheny County called upon the public works director and asked him to secure from councils an appropriation for the building of a new market house to replace the old structure in Diamond square. The members of the committee stated they had been encouraged by the director and believed that some effort would be made to get a new market house before the appropriation ordinance for 1904 is passed by councils.

A. W. Burt, superintendent of the bureau of construction, introduced the committee to the director, and he will probably be put to work preparing plans and estimates of the cost of a new market house. Among the members of the committee who called upon Director Bigelow were Moses Dunlevy of Scott township, president of the Fruit Growers' association; John McKenna, Greentree borough; John Haudenshield, secretary and treasurer, Scott township, and Hugh Long, Scott township.

The committeemen told the director they had been crowded out of the market in Diamond square and for a long time had been forced to drive their wagons to the Allegheny river wharf and sell their products there. For the privilege of standing on the wharf each man was charged 25 cents a day. He had no protection for himself or his products from the weather. They called attention to the fact on their market days the Allegheny wharf is crowded from the Sixth street bridge all the way to the exposition buildings, and suggested that a new market house sufficient to accommodate all might be erected on the wharf.

They said they were forced to ask for some provision, as they were reliably informed that the ordinance for the Pennsylvania elevated line along the wharf was to be passed by councils immediately after the election, and they feared that they were going to be crowded off the wharf unless some provision was to be made for them.

Director Bigelow a few nights ago told the members of the finance committee that the old Diamond market house would probably be torn down in the near future and a new market would not be rebuilt in Diamond square.

In reference to the Mission street bridge matter, it developed yesterday that there was $6,000 more in the fund than the controller first supposed. Out of the $40,000 appropriated for the bridge there is $31,000 left, which is not considered sufficient to build the bridge. The controller stated that the $9,000 had been taken from the fund to repair other bridges at the suggestion of Director Bigelow.

Director Bigelow said yesterday work could not be started on the bridge until a resolution had been passed by councils relocating Mission street to make it the same width as the proposed bridge.

BRYAN'S ANSWER FILED.

Contends the Sealed Letter in Bennett Will Case Is Valid.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Jan. 20.—The answer of William J. Bryan to the appeal from the probate court, brought by heirs of the late Philo S. Bennett, was filed today in the superior court. In the answer Mr. Bryan figures both as executor of the Bennett will and as trustee under the terms of the will.

In effect the answer declares the sealed letter referred to in the will makes it the duty of the executor to pay $50,000 to Mrs. Bennett, to be turned over to William J. Bryan, and that Section 12 of the will mentioning the sealed letter is valid.

ANALYSES OF ALL MILK SOLD HERE

Director Moore Will Furnish Figures as to Quality of Fluid Kept By Dealers.

OFFICIAL INSPECTION ENDED

"I am prepared to furnish any citizen of Pittsburgh a record of the quality of milk he is being served. All that is required is to send me the name of the dealer," said Director Harry Moore of the department of public safety yesterday. "I had an inspection made of all the dairies in the city and have records of the findings of the inspectors. In some instances the cattle were improperly fed. There was not a sufficient amount of food supplied to them and the cows were eating their bedding. In other instances they were being fed malt grain from the breweries. We had a number of complaints from milk dealers about the improper care certain dairymen were giving their cattle and began the inspection," concluded the director.

The work was done by the officers of the bureau of meat and milk inspection. Inspector Samuel E. Adler investigated 110 dairies, controlling the milk produced by 1,400 cows, and the stores of 1,000 retail dealers. Some of these dairies had not been inspected for over 20 years. Only three retail dealers were found to be using formaldehyde in their milk. These dealers were prosecuted before Alderman C. F. Dyer and fined.

The dairies in this city have from three to 27 cows in their stables. Proprietors of dairies are required to turn their cattle out for three hours each day and clean their stalls twice a day.

The inspectors are required to see that the cattle have proper bedding. Bran, cut grain, fodder and hay may be fed to the cattle, but malt grain is prohibited. Inspector Adler found that most of the dairymen were caring for their cattle according to the requirements of the ordinances. There were a few infractions found in reference to the feeding of cattle. It was learned that malt grains were being used by some dairies, but as the proprietors had no knowledge of the violations Director Moore decided not to enter any suits.

Samples of every dealer of this city have been tested, and the records are now tabulated in the bureau of meat and milk inspection.

THIEF RETURNED RING BY MAIL TO THE OWNER

Valuable Heirloom Is Sent to Uniontown from Pittsburgh. Culprit Was Suspected.

A $500 diamond ring, stolen two months ago from Miss Sibbett, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. E. S. Hackney, in Uniontown, Pa., has just been returned by registered mail from this city. In November decorators employed by Bryant Brothers of Columbus were at work at the Hackney home, and Miss Sibbett one day missed her ring. From Uniontown several of the men went to Trauger, Westmoreland county, and there one of them is alleged to have exhibited a diamond ring. The man disappeared, but he was located a few days ago in Pittsburgh, before he was arrested Miss Sibbett received a package containing the ring, while on the back was the address, "A. L. Devore, general delivery, Pittsburgh."

The ring has been a family heirloom for several generations and was left to Miss Sibbett in the distribution of the effects of the late Mrs. Felix R. Brunot of Pittsburgh. It contains five large diamonds.

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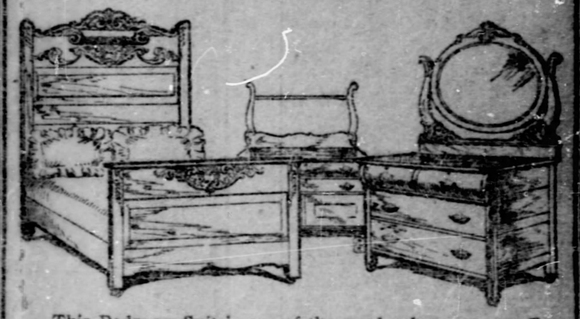

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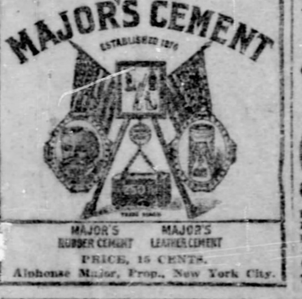

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[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

GREENSBURG, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Breaking into the home of Benjamin Yealy in Cook township, two masked robbers last night subjected the aged couple, the only occupants of the house, to torture in an attempt to learn the hiding place of a hoard of money said to have been secreted. The robbers were unsuccessful in locating the treasure, only securing $8. The Yealys live on a lonely road near the foot of Chestnut ridge.

The coal of many neighboring farms has been optioned recently by an eastern firm, and it was believed the aged couple had received a big sum of money for the field underlying their farm. Mr. and Mrs. Yealy were in bed, but were awakened by heavy knocks on the rear door, and Yealy was persuaded to open it on being told that two strangers wanted shelter for the night. It was explained that their buggy had broken down. Yealy was seized and bound and a demand made upon him to tell the whereabouts of the money.

Mrs. Yealy was also bound, and when protests were made by both of them that they did not have a big sum of money about the house they were beaten over the soles of their feet with bed slats and otherwise abused. A thorough search of the house was made. Furniture was demolished. Threatening the couple with death if they attempted to arouse the neighborhood, the robbers left. Their visit was not learned by the neighbors until this morning. A posse was organized to hunt them down. It was found that they had broken into the Pleasant Grove school house, but at that point all trace of them was lost.

INSTRUCTORS APPOINTED.

Prominent Educators Will Conduct Next Summer School at West Virginia University.

MORGANTOWN, Jan. 20.—Special.—Prof. R. G. Moulton of the university of Chicago, Prof. William H. Mace of Syracuse university, Dr. Richard G. Boone, editor of Education; Dr. A. E. Winship of Boston, Sarah E. Griswold of the Chicago normal school, Dr. Margaret K. Smith of the New York state normal school, New Paltz; John Porter Lawrence of Washington, D. C.; Anton Kaspar of Washington, D. C., and David E. Cloyd, superintendent of Wheeling public schools, have been engaged to assist the regular members of the university faculty in the next session of the summer school of West Virginia university.

Thomas C. Miller, state superintendent of free schools of West Virginia, is a strong advocate of the teaching of the elements of agriculture in the public schools. Tomorrow night he will deliver a lecture on that subject at the university. His position on this subject is in line with that taken by James Wilson, secretary of agriculture, in a letter to President Purinton, written to be read at an agricultural convention here. Secretary Wilson says that the most important thing that can be done for the development of agriculture is to teach its elements in the public schools, so that the children will get a taste for it, and will continue their study of it when they go to the college and the university.

ACQUITTED OF MURDER.

Defendant Killed His Brother Who Attempted to Whip Him.

MARTINSBURG, W. VA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The trial of John Locke, aged 19, for murder came to a close in the circuit court here today. The jury was out less than an hour and brought in a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoner was discharged. Locke was indicted for having killed his brother, Charles Locke, two years older, last October.

The two brothers quarreled at the table and Charles said he was going to whip John. John ran out into the yard and Charles followed. A scuffle ensued and John struck at his brother with a pocket-knife. The blade struck Charles in the neck just above the collar bone, cutting an artery, from which death followed in less than three minutes.

GRAND LODGE OF ODD FELLOWS AT NEW CASTLE

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A special session of the Pennsylvania grand lodge of Odd Fellows was held here last night with the Shenango lodge, No. 196. There were 35 past grands from Mercer, Lawrence and Butler counties. The state officers present were Grand Master Samuel A. Steele, Pittsburgh; Grand Secretary Joseph H. Mackey, Philadelphia; Grand Warden Chubbick, Towanda; District Deputy Grand Master Boyd, Lawrence county; District Deputy Grand Master Morrow, Mercer county. The grand officers inspected the new $40,000 Odd Fellows temple.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY DOCTOR KILLED ON RAILROAD

GREENSBURG, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The remains of Dr. Robert Hanna, a well-known physician of Greenock, Allegheny county, was found on the tracks of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Guffey station, early this morning. Dr. Hanna had been run down during the night. He was 30 years old and unmarried.

Resignation Starts Fight.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A political fight has been precipitated by the resignation of Samuel Amspoker, a justice of the peace. The county organization knew that the resignation was coming and at the suggestion meetings last week quietly put forward the name of E. N. Dunlap, president of council and acting burgess. Dunlap is a Republican. Opposed to him for the position will be William H. Ecker, a newspaper man, twice candidate for county commissioner on the Democratic ticket.

Woman and Lover Indicted.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Jefferson county grand jury reported, after nine days' session, today, finding 95 true bills. Mrs. Bennie Owens and John Davis were jointly indicted for first degree murder in the killing of Calvin Owens, the theory being that they killed Owens so she could marry Davis. Hugh Weems and Frank Lapczaky were indicted for second degree murder and Angus Campbell and Lucus E. Mayo for stabbing to kill.

Old Landmark is Removed.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.) The Carnegie Steel Company is rushing work upon the new 300-ton Shenango furnace being erected here to replace the old Shenango furnace. The old stack was one of the industrial landmarks of the Shenango valley, having been erected at the birth of the iron industry here. The second new furnace which is being built to replace the old Red Jacket stack cannot be completed before to close of next September.

Warrants for Fifty Spectators.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Humane Agent Charles H. Witt of Johnstown made information against almost 50 spectators and principals at a cocking main near Johnstown. The main was held Sunday and birds from Altoona, backed by a crowd of Altoona sports, won the majority of the fights. Ten Altoona men are included in the list. All are in hiding and no arrests have been made as yet.

Forgery of Father's Name.

SCOTTDALE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Charles Buttermore of Bethany, Pa., who was arrested here today on a charge of forgery, preferred by Thomas J. Distin, confessed at the hearing before Justice H. C. Hubbs and was taken to jail. Buttermore forged his father's name in order to secure a $300 loan from Diskin.

Pittsburgh Minister Leads Revival.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—There is much interest in the revival meetings at the First Christian church. Already there has been many accessions. The pastor, Rev. E. A. Cole, is being assisted in his work by the Rev. E. W. Thornton, pastor of the First Christian church of Pittsburgh, who is preaching each evening.

BACHELORS' CLUB OF SOMERSET, PA.

The above photograph was taken at a recent banquet of the Somerset Bachelors' club, an organization formed five years ago for the purpose of assisting each other in securing a wife. In that time 12 of its 28 members have joined the society of benedicts. The others are on the market. Candidates for matrimony are secured by lot. An annual banquet is held by the club each January, and on the occasion of the marriage of any of its members.

Those in the above group, reading from the left, are, in the rear: George Zufall, J. B. Winters, C. W. Walker, G. W. Benford, Dr. P. V. Schlag, E. M. Love, P. A. Schell, R. E. Beerits, W. W. Landis. Front row: F. W. Hoblitzell, J. M. Black, A. L. G. Hay, O. F. Uhl, R. B. Meyers, F. M. Forney, Will Swank, George J. Krebs.

STATE BOARD ENJOINS THE LOCAL OFFICIALS

Tearing Down of Posters Causes Court to Issue an Injunction.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

KITTANNING, PA., Jan. 20.—Attorneys Rayburn and McCain, representing the state board of health, appeared before Judge W. D. Patton this morning and asked for a preliminary injunction against Dr. C. J. Jessop, Health Officer John McDonald, Councilman A. Jonas, Dr. H. B. Stone and Dr. F. W. Heilman, asking that they be restrained from interfering in any way with Quarantine Officer Dr. T. N. McKee in the performance of his duties, as said officer was under direction of his superiors.

Last Saturday after Quarantine Officer McKee had posted danger notices at various drinking places they were torn down by some of the defendants. These cards as for the purpose of "deceiving the state board of health," and when the disposition of them was reported to Dr. Batt he immediately ordered Quarantine Officer McKee to employ counsel and ask for an injunction in order that the work of the state board of health should not be interfered with. The final hearing for a permanent injunction will be on Monday morning.

There is no change in the typhoid fever condition in this place. Some new cases are reported. Mrs. Charles Loring Burkett, aged 34, died this morning from the disease. In Kittanning township Fred Everhart and four of his children are ill with the disease.

INJUNCTION IS ASKED.

Colonial Trust Company Wants Railroad Restrained from Charging Excessive Rates.

BEAVER, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A hearing in the injunction case of the Colonial Trust Company of Pittsburgh, receiver for the Pennsylvania Clay Company, to restrain the Ohio River Junction Railroad Company from charging exorbitant rates for carrying brick and coal was had before Judge J. Sharp Wilson today.

J. J. Koch, freight agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and R. A. McCrea, assistant trainmaster, gave testimony that the Ohio River Junction is not a through railroad and is not a regular railroad. W. W. Cunningham of the trust company testified that they shipped from eight to ten cars a day over the line, for which they were charged 15 cents a ton for coal and 25 cents a ton for brick. W. A. Parks is president of the Pennsylvania Clay Company and also of the Ohio River Junction railroad.

GIRL'S DEATH WAS DUE TO FOREIGNER'S CARELESSNESS

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The jury empanelled to inquire into the death of little Mary Mahallick, who was shot Saturday night by Steve Rudock at Sherrick Station, returned the following verdict today: "We, the jury, find that Mary Mahallick came to her death at Sherrick in Upper Tyrone township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, on the evening of Monday, January 18, from a wound inflicted by a revolver in the hands of Steve Rudock, the shot fired carelessly and maliciously, and we recommend that the said Steve Rudock be held to await the action of the grand jury."

Given Six Cents Damages.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—After a hard fight between C. M. Brownlee, recently elected borough tax collector, and J. M. McNulty, a member of the Washington borough school board, Judge J. F. Taylor has handed down a long decree in favor of Brownlee. It was a question whether the treasurer of the school board should have the tax duplicates and make the collections or whether the borough tax collector had that right. The duplicates amount to $9,000. The court grants a pre-emptory mandamus on the school board and Brownlee was given 6 cents damages.

Explosion Fatally Injures Four.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The premature explosion of dynamite being set off in the preparation of the right-of-way for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Lowellville resulted in the serious if not fatal injury of four men and the slight injury of four others this afternoon. Those seriously injured are: James Jempty, scalp wounds and chest crushed; Mike Lukowitch, jaw broken and eye blown out; Steve Lukowitch, leg broken and badly burned; Nicholas Vokowitch, eyes blown out and badly burned.

Battling With Snowdrifts.

CORRY, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Never in the history of the old cross-cut railway, now owned by the Pennsylvania, has there been such difficulty experienced in keeping the line open between Corry and Dunkirk. An army of men, numbering 200, was formed this morning and started out to do battle with the drifts. They are aided by powerful modern machines and huge locomotives. The wind last night blew so strongly along the Lake Shore that the lights in the switch lanterns could not be kept burning.

West Virginia's Debators Picked.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—As a result of the second preliminary contest David Cupcett Warren Hodgess and Norvil Daugherty are to represent the West Virginia university in the intercollegiate degate with Ohio state university. The debate occurs in Columbus the last of February. The question is: "Resolved, That municipal ownership of public utilities is undesirable." West Virginia is to affirm the question.

Proposed to Start Pottery.

KITTANNING, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Ford China Pottery Company wishes to resume operations and has made a proposition to a number of employes that if a reduction in wages be accepted the pottery will be started. The employes held a meeting, but came to no conclusion and will hold another meeting Thursday. The plant has been closed down since before the holidays. About 700 are employed.

SEVEN HUNDRED STILL SUFFER FROM DISEASE

Canvass of Butler Patients Completed—Relief Store Conducted by Red Cross.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BUTLER, PA., Jan. 20.—Another death, raising the total caused by fever to 104, has occurred, that of John Love, a teamster, who died this afternoon at the Wagner hospital. He was 50 years old and leaves a widow and four children. Two new cases were reported this evening. Both were removed to the Butler County General hospital. Edward Campbell, physical director of Grove City college, who is now ill, is supposed to have contracted the fever while in Pittsburgh playing football.

At this evening's meeting of the executive committee Dr. Batt was authorized to confer with the county commissioners as to the employment of additional nurses at the county home. Dr. Batt stated that when his nurses completed the canvass of the town 10 days ago he found between 600 and 700 fever patients in bed, and that there are probably 400 or 500 still unable to rise.

Mrs. William Kennedy, wife of the burgess, is conducting the Red Cross supply store in the Kirkpatrick building. A force of four young women assist her. Since New Year's day they have given provisions and clothing to 150 families. Mrs. Kennedy has written to Mayor Hays of Pittsburgh suggesting that, as the relief committee has publicly stated that it will need no additional contributions, the remaining $3,000 still in Mayor Hays' hands be sent to the Red Cross society.

NOMINEES ARE SELECTED.

Candidates Favor Bonds for Improvements and Consolidation of Schools.

CALIFORNIA, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Republican primary election was one of the quietest held here for years. Few offices were contested for. The nominees are as follows: Justice of the peace (two to elect), J. B. Hornbake and R. Kirk Richardson; council (two to elect), S. B. Paxton, Sr., and W. M. Bayley, the latter defeating David R. Phillips; school directors (two to elect), James Rohrer and E. F. Reed; assessor, A. N. Jordan; auditor, Charles Phillips; judge of election, S. Paxton, Sr., defeating Charles Seibert; inspector, M. L. Newman, defeating Fay Cainor.

Matters at issue here are a proposition to increase the borough debt for street improvements and the question of separating the public schools from the state normal, with which they have been connected for many years. The nominees for council were selected by the faction which has always been in favor of improvements and the school director candidates are said to be in favor of keeping the public schools in the normal, as at present.

EXPRESS PACKAGE ROBBED OF HALF THOUSAND

UNIONTOWN, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—A bold express robbery has just come to light at New Salem, this county. An express package containing $500 was sent from the comptroller of the currency to the First National bank at New Salem and when opened at the bank there was in the package only some newspapers. There is no clue to the robbers.

Sharon Has Forty Cases.

SHARON, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The rapid development of typhoid fever in Sharon has stirred up the health board to action and a strong effort is being made to discover the extent of the disease. Health Officer Yahress made a partial canvass of the physicians and finds that there are now 40 cases in the city, besides several in South Sharon. One death has occurred in Sharon and one in South Sharon. The board has asked the Sharon Water Works Company to make an analysis of the city water.

Shutdown for Six Months.

ALLIANCE, O., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Alliance plant of the American Steel Foundries Company today shut down for an indefinite period. Supt. Wallace said lack of orders was the cause of the shutdown. Up to December the plant here employed about 800 men, but at the present time the force only numbers about 300 men. Officials say the plant will not resume work for six months. A number of the foremen and melters will be sent to other plants under the same control.

Hello Line Reaches Wheeling.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Bell-State Telephone Company today connected up its through line from this place to Wheeling, W. Va. At Wheeling the line connects with the National Telephone Company. The circuit now connects with the towns of Fairmont, Morgantown, Charlesburg, Mannington, and numerous other smaller towns. Going westward the connections have been made with Steubenville and St. Clairsville.

Robbers Stopped Water Supply.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Robbers stole brass spigots from water lines that are used to water coke at the Pennsylvania Coke Company's plant at Pennsville last night, causing all the water to run from the reservoir and shutting down the plant today. Forty-six ovens were ready to draw when the robbery was discovered, and considerable coke was lost on account of the delay in watering the coke promptly.

Kidnaped Boy Is Home.

WASHINGTON, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Russell Steele, the 13-year-old son of Mrs. William Peaks of Washington, who was kidnaped by his stepfather, John Richmond, three years ago and was recovered at Welsh, Indian Territory, last week by the arrest of his father, arrived in Washington this evening. The boy stated that his stepfather had stolen him from school, threatening to kill him if he made any resistance. The two traveled all over the United States.

PETITIONS TO BURGESS TO STOP SOFFEL PLAY

Churches and Several Societies Circulate Many Papers Throughout Connellsville.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Jan. 20.—If Kate Soffel makes her debut before a Connellsville audience it will not be because the Women's Christian Temperance union and the ministers of this place have not done their part to prevent the play from being given here on Saturday night. A meeting of the W. C. T. U. and ministers representing seven churches of this place was held today and formulated plans to prevent her appearance.

Tomorrow dozens of petitions in the hands of ministers and members of the union will be circulated on every corner of the borough and the papers will be presented to Burgess Charles W. Patterson, asking that the performance be prohibited. Tonight a petition was read at every church in town where prayer meetings were held and the members of the congregations were asked to attach their names to the petitions. The W. C. T. U. is represented by Attorney Fred F. Rush of Uniontown. Attorney Rush has been retained by the same society in Uniontown to prevent the performance there.

Burgess Patterson has promised that the play shall not be given if there is any legal way in which to prevent it. The W. C. T. U. voted unanimously to stand their share of any damages that might be incurred by stopping the show.

YOUNG CHILD KILLED BY EATING RAT POISON

GREENSBURG, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—From the effects of eating biscuits poisoned for rats, the 4-year-old son of John Brennen, Pennsylvania railroad telegraph operator at New Florence, died in agony last evening. Brennen had placed the poison in his overcoat pocket and, upon returning home, failed to remove it. Two of the Brennen children, searching in their father's overcoat for sweets, came upon the poison. Both ate liberally of it before they were discovered. A physician was summoned but the elder child died in an hour. There is little hope for the recovery of the other child.

COMPANY OFFERS TO BUY BEAVER WATER WORKS

BEAVER, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Members of the Beaver borough council have been approached by a representative of the Beaver Valley Water Company which now controls nearly the entire water supply of the valley, with a proposition that they would purchase the Beaver water works for $100,000. The recent borough indebtedness is $85,000 and the sale would wipe out the debt. The water plant here consists of a pump station, ten drilled wells, one mile of 12-inch main pipe to the reservoir, where six acres of land is owned, and the distributing pipes.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—John Monahan, a Philadelphia mill hand, was instantly killed here while attempting to get out of the way of a train.

UNIONTOWN, PA.—The Orient Coke Company's plant, a depth of 50 feet, on its land in Redstone township and will develop it at once.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Frank Churchfield and George Derry were badly injured by the collapse of a second-story outside balcony in the rear of the Knox inn.

UNIONTOWN, PA.—The Abraham Moore tract of over 100 acres of coal near New Salem has been optioned at $1,000 per acre by the Buffington works of the H. C. Frick Coke Company.

GREENSBURG, PA.—As the result of a coasting accident at Arona, Charles Altean had his leg fractured, his nose broken and internal injuries sustained. It is thought he will not recover.

AMBRIDGE, PA.—Charles Hager, a steelworker, was struck by the Cleveland flyer. He was instantly killed. The body was taken to Rochester. Hager was 24 years old and unmarried.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.—John E. Jones was elected a member of the borough council to fill the unexpired term of J. E. Anderson, deceased. He is a former chief of police and is a Republican.

UNIONTOWN, PA.—The Fayette Title and Trust Company elected O. W. Kennedy, president; R. M. Galatin, vice president and treasurer, Theodore Bliss, assistant treasurer, and J. M. Gore, secretary.

BEAVER, PA.—The First Methodist Episcopal church purchased a lot from Mrs. Sarah Allison in Elk street, adjoining the buildings of Beaver college to erect a $50,000 church. When completed the old church will be torn down.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—J. S. Bell of Pittsburgh, president of the Western Pennsylvania Humane society, was here today conferring with Mayor Jackson and Chief of Police Horner regarding a campaign for more active work in this locality.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O.—The Rev. Edward M. McMillan of Adrian, Mich., was called as pastor of the First Presbyterian church. The pulpit has been vacant since the Rev. C. G. Jordan resigned in September. The pastor will get $2,500 salary.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—Henry Baughman, guardian of Lottie Baughman, has brought suit against the Peerless Laundry Company for $10,000 because Miss Baughman, who was employed in the laundry, had her hand drawn through an ironing machine.

WASHINGTON, PA.—The installation of rural free delivery of mail at Waynesburg, in Greene county, has been a success. The system is well liked and growing popular. There are five routes in operation. The routes average 25 miles in length, and serve a population of 3[illegible] people on an average.

MONACA, PA.—The Republicans of Monaca held their primaries and nominated Charles Shouston and Charles Wagner for school director and Burgess James Irons for justice of the peace. Owing to the death today of Councilman Hicks the nominations of councilmen were deferred until Monday.

WASHINGTON, PA.—The Washington school board, at a meeting, voted to erect two new school houses at a cost of $100,000. One building is to be in the Fifth ward and the other in the Seventh ward. The question of increasing the indebtedness to that amount will be voted upon at the next election.

CHARLESTON, W. VA.—The West Virginia Historical society has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Col. Thomas L. Brown, secretary, the Rev. R. D. Bullock; treasurer, Col. George W. Patton, all of Charleston; vice presidents, Judge Thayer Melvin, First district; Gen. William T. Craighill, Second district; Charles Ward, Third district; A. F. Gibbons, Fourth district; George F. Miller, Fifth district.

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"THE BIG STORE"

A money-losing sale of shoes

Half prices & less on 3,000 pairs for men, women & children

"CAN'T tell me," said a skeptic the other day—"Can't tell me you folks are losing money." Losing money? Why—bless you, we're losing lots of it—but it's a wise loss. You see, we like to keep stocks shipshape. We drag out all odd lots and small lines. We've made our profits on the hundreds and thousands that were sold. On the units and tens, we lose. But we gain through righting the stock as we want it. See the point? It's as easy to see into as Columbus' egg puzzle, after it's explained. But the world in a sense is better off for skeptics: It's human nature to doubt.

Men's $5, $5.50 and $6 "Hanan" shoes, 3.50

Our entire stock of enamel leather and French calf "Hanan" shoes is included in this offer; also several lines in patent colt, vici kid, etc.

Men's $3.50, $4, $5 and $6 shoes—broken lots—all styles, all leathers, single or double soles—about 200 odd pairs of "Hanan" shoes included in the assortment—all reduced to **2.47**

Men's $3, $4 and $5 shoes—in box calf, velour calf, patent colt, vici kid and enamel—winter lines in which the sizes have become broken—all reduced to **1.85**

Men's $2.50, $3 and $3.50 shoes—broken lots in calf, vici kid and box calf; very nearly all sizes—closing out price **1.45**

Infants' shoes—patent colt and French vici kid, velvet tops—reduced from **1.00 to 69c**

Women's $3.50, $4 and $5 shoes—in patent leather, vici kid, box calf and velour calf, all the broken lots to go at **1.85**

Women's $2.50, $3 and $4 shoes—in patent colt and box calf, broken lots and odd sizes,—closing out price **1.65**

Women "Princess" shoes—in patent colt and vici kid—the shoes sold everywhere for $2.50, now reduced to **1.45**

Women's felt juliet slippers and warmly lined shoes—former prices $1.25 and $1.50, reduced to **75c**

Misses' shoes—broken lots, box calf and vici kid—reduced from $1.50, $2, $2.50 and $3 to **87c**

Sale of manufacturer's trial lengths of embroideries

THE most important sale of the kind we ever held. Not one, but four (the world's most famous embroidery makers) are contributors to this sale. In all, about 5,000 trial lengths are here, and all will go

At about half price

There are hundreds and hundreds of patterns in the assortment, but only one or two stripes of each kind. A particularly large showing of the new teneriffe patterns, scroll patterns, wheel patterns and dainty flower designs, also a great many dainty sets, 2 to 4 widths of edging and 2 widths of inserting to match.

Choice 5c, 7½c, 10c and 12½c yd.

These trial strips come in lengths ranging from 3½ to 6 yards, and as there will undoubtedly be a big response to this announcement, we cannot cut the stripes, but must ask that you take them as they are—And you'll be only too glad to do so when you see what great bargains they are.

The white sale still maintains fullness of variety and largeness of economy

THE January sale of undermuslins is in its third week, but you'd imagine from the vast quantities still on hand and the fullness of variety that it was just starting. This is proof that it is a sale true to its name and purpose. A sale with life, energy, vigor and advantages to it—now quite as much so as those which characterized its opening days.

Gowns— the styles, materials and trimmings, and every detail in the making of our gowns has come under the scrutiny of an expert—we are confident that investigation and comparison will prove the superiority of these garments over all others. Some exceptional values at **75c, 1.00 & 1.25**

White petticoats— hundreds of them are here, from the dainty tucked umbrella designs to the most elaborate lace and embroidery trimmed sorts—petticoats with circular and full flaring flounces of the most pleasing variety—a number of special lots have been selected and priced at **75c, 1.25 & 1.95**

Special offers in ribbed underwear and infants' wear

Women's ribbed corset covers—high neck and long sleeves, 50 dozen on sale today at, each, **25c**

Babies shawls—of all wool shrunken flannel, with silk embroidered corner— **50c**

Women's ribbed union suits—warm, heavy fleecing, all sizes, on sale today at **35c**

Women's ribbed vests or pants—¾ wool, hand crochet finish—exceptional value, **75c**

Children's ribbed vests or pants—wool fleeced, also union suits, all sizes, today at **12½c**

Children's ribbed vests or pants—heavily fleeced, all sizes—best value obtainable anywhere, **25c**

Babies' caps—hand crochet silk or silk embroidered, all sizes, at **75c**

Babies' cloaks—all wool cashmere or bedford cord, beautifully trimmed— **2.98**

Children's dresses—made of warm flannelette, in light or dark colors, sizes 1 to 6 years—price this sale **50c**

Very special prices on rugs

WHICH means very low prices. No particular reason why just these particular rugs should be reduced, for they're as good and desirable today as when they first entered the store. But then, that's the relentless policy of store-keeping—to seek new owners for merchandise that's been here a certain time—accordingly, savings of from 20 to 60 per cent are yours if you take advantage of this opportunity.

9x12 ft. art reversible rugs—French designs, value $12, special **8.25**

9x12 ft. Brussels rugs—Persian patterns—$14 values, for **9.45**

9x12 ft. Brussels rugs—mill made, value $18, special for **12.75**

All our $27 rugs, consisting of fine axminsters, wilton velvets, Smyrnas and best Brussels, placed in one lot and sold for today only at the special price of **17.75**

9x12 ft. wilton rugs—in pretty Oriental patterns, $35 values for **27.50**

One lot of Smyrna hearth size rugs, value $4.50, to close out for **2.95**

We're already showing many

Spring, 1904, silks

THE wonderful variety, the diamond-like brilliancy of finish, the unusual softness and grace of texture, the depth and richness of color—all unite in making the new weaves fascinating in the extreme. And the prices will establish a new record for uniform lowness.

We open the season with these specials:

New 1904 foulards—in dainty designs for shirtwaist suits, also fancy designs for evening costumes, many controlled by us exclusively; in navy, royal, gobelin, gray, tan, brown, reseda, black, heliotrope, dahlia, plum, etc.—will sell later for 75c, 85c and $1 yard, today the price will be only **69c**

New line of all silk dress taffetas—with pure silk filling, very bright and lustrous and extra strong; 58 new shades, also black, white, ivory and cream—usual 65c quality, yard, **49c**

Black silks reduced

All silk black taffetas—for dress and lining purposes, will not cut or crack—always sold for 50c a yard, now reduced to **29c**

36 in. black taffetas—guaranteed not to cut or split, guarantee woven on selvage—regular $1.50 taffetas, now reduced to, yard, **98c**

See the Coon Hollow Folk
On Their Tour of the World,
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THE SCHEDULE MAKERS ARE STILL FAR APART

BARNEY AWAITS COMING OF BAN

Schedule Makers Have Not Yet Got Together—The American Leader Busy With Senators

BARROWS TALKS BASEBALL

Barney Dreyfuss, owner of the Pittsburg club and schedule builder of the National league, is still in New York awaiting the coming of Ban Johnson in order that there may be a comparison of schedules in order to avoid conflicts in playing dates during the coming season. The leader of the Americans is still in Washington trying to find capital to back the Senators for another season and there is no telling when he and Dreyfuss will get together.

Secretary Locke yesterday received a letter from the boss of the Pirates in which he states that he is patiently awaiting the coming of Johnson but he is growing tired of the job and unless Ban puts in an appearance soon the meeting is liable to be called off. Barney also states in his letter that he has submitted to the National commission the newly developed evidence in the case of Pitcher Scanlon, and there is little doubt but what the outcome of the case will be favorable to the Pittsburgh club. Mr. Dreyfuss intends remaining in New York for a week or so and then will come here and get things shaped up for the training trip to Hot Springs.

Ed Barrows, the former Pittsburgh boy who is manager of the Detroit American league team, has a few ideas of his own regarding the actions of players during the winter or offseason, and in an interview says:

"I believe that every ballplayer should sign a contract for 12 months' service instead of six. Of course, he wouldn't be called on for any more baseball than he is now, and the rest of the time he would be practically free to do as he liked, but the fact that he would be under contract all the time would make it possible for the manager to keep the players out of all kinds of other sports in which they indulge in the off season, frequently uniting themselves for service when the playing year opens.

"The case of Davie Fultz, the star outfielder of the New York Americans, is an example of the evils of such a plan. Fultz is, as every one knows, one of the greatest football players that ever lived.

"In 1902, as he had several years before, Fultz went back to playing football on a professional team. He got a football knee and was worth almost nothing to the New York team throughout the rest of the season. This year he has stayed off the gridiron and Griffith hopes he will be back in his old form.

"I am always afraid," continues the Detroit manager, "that something of this sort will happen to Bill Donovan. He is always mixing up in some sort of competition that isn't baseball, whether it is sprinting, high jumping or association football.

"You can't get him by a Gaelic celebration to save your life, and at the football game they tell me this year he is one of the very best in the United States. This year, though, I persuaded him to cut the football out, and I was mighty tickled when he did it.

"Then there is basketball and indoor baseball and several other sports the ballplayers indulge in during the winter months. Dreyfuss has his troubles with Wagner and Leach. Hans wants to sell all the basketball players in his vicinity and Leach is a fiend on the indoor baseball game. None of these does the player any good and often lays him up."

STERLINGS' NEW MANAGER.

Johnny Yoedt Likes the Place of Manager Billinger.

The champion Sterlings held a meeting after the Sterling Lyceum game to act on the resignation of William Billinger as manager after a successful term of four years. Billinger is in a position that he cannot devote very much time to the duties of a manager, so his resignation was accepted, and Johnnie Yoedt was elected to succeed him. The latter knows the game from A to Z, and no doubt can fill the position in a manner required by a champion team.

Yoedt has about completed terms with one of the best players in this district and great things are expected of him. C. Billinger asked for his release and will very likely be accommodated. The team will carry but seven players, but will have more under contract, so that in case of an injury to anyone they will not be caught napping. Teams desiring games with Sterlings should write John Yoedt, No. 845 O'Hara street, Allegheny.

NO CLUB SELECTED.

Sharkey and Munroe Still Figuring on a Club.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—No place has been selected for the Sharkey-Munroe fight. Sharkey and his manager, Clark Ball, met Harry Pollok, Munroe's manager, this afternoon, and carefully considered the bids of the various clubs throughout the country. After a long discussion it was decided to postpone the acceptance of any offers for a few days.

The contest will surely take place before March 1 next, as the articles of agreement call for.

KEEPING KELLY BUSY.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Hughey Kelly, the husky middle-weight fighter of Chicago, who recently stood off Philadelphia Jack O'Brien to a draw, has just been matched to engage in two battles. His first will be with Charley O'Rourke of Boston for 15 rounds before the Tammany A. C. of Boston, on February 1, while his second will be with Jack "Twin" Sullivan, for 10 rounds, before the Missouri A. C. of Kansas City, on the night of February 9.

LEADING BANTAM FIGHTERS HAVE BEEN MATCHED

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Abe Attell, the California boxer and Chester Goodwin, of Boston, two of the best featherweight fighters now boxing before the public, have been matched to go two contests in a 15-round bout before the Tammany A. C., of Boston, on the night of February 8.

Another Sign of Spring.

The Mesta A. C. baseball team has organized and would like to hear from all amateur teams for games on Saturday afternoons and legal holidays. Address Robert Lapsley, care Mesta Machine Company, West Homestead.

There will be an important meeting at the parlors of the Homestead library Saturday night to organize a good junior baseball team for the coming year. The meeting will be called at 7 o'clock sharp and the following players are requested to attend: Nelson Boone, Taylor Smith, John Adams, Roy Steele, Pearl O'Leary, Thomas Lavery, Fred Smith, Joe Maloney, Carl Sossman and George Bennett. McKeown, pitcher of last year's Munhall team, who is now attending Notre Dame college, will also join the team as soon as school is over.

The Lyceum Teams Will Meet.

At Lyceum hall, Washington street, tonight there will be big doings when the Pittsburgh and Allegheny lyceum basketball teams meet in a major league game. This will be the first appearance of the Allegheny boys on Pittsburgh lyceum floor this season, and a warm game is looked for. The lineup will be:

Pittsburgh Lyceum.		Allegheny Lyceum.
McGovern.		
Kramer	Forward	Thompson
Yeager	Forward	Schmitt
O'Donnell	Center	Louden
DeMuth, Land	Guard	Geisler
McInary	Guard	Schofield

The preliminary between the Lyceum junior teams promises to be one of the best games of the season.

The Mercury Team Won.

The Mercury seven defeated the Beechwod team 2 to 0 at Duquesne garden last night.

Mercury—2.		Beechwood—0.
Mustin	Goal	Babcock
Ostermair	Point	Harper
Dadever	Point	Barre
Robertson	Forward	Wilson
Harmount	Center	Jordon
Fisher	R. W.	Hall
Smith	L. W.	Herschberger

Goals—Harmount, Campbell. Referee—Sixsmith.

An Exciting Basketball Race.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Much interest is being taken in the basketball contest by seven teams, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian association, for the championship of the city. Each team will play two or more games with each of the others, the contest closing late in the winter. The following is the standing of the clubs: The Shook and Hamms are tied for first place, each having won four straight games and lost none. The Mohawk team won three and lost one.

HAHN'S COLTS BEATEN BY VERY CLOSE SCORES

There Was Some Clever Bowling and It Took Almost Every Pin for a Victory.

Two games were rolled in the Allegheny county bowling league last night. The most important contest was between the East Pittsburgh team and Hahn's Colts. The East Pittsburgh team won the first two games, but had to work to get them, and the Colts won the third game by the narrow margin of two pins. All the games were closely contested, as the following score will show:

EAST PITTSBURGH.			
Kling	193	159	202
Mertz	139	183	171
Montgomery	200	176	169
Cunningham	158	201	137
Pherson	156	203	147
Total	846	922	826
HOHN'S COLTS.			
Schuyler	177	147	170
Mix	172	170	148
Weiss	147	175	167
Needhardt	162	134	166
Hahn	174	167	187
Total	832	793	828

On the Cecelia alleys the home team took three rather poorly rolled games from the St. Boniface team by the following score:

CECELIA.			
Gerstbrein	175	144	182
Seuss	114	199	165
Obermiller	165	184	142
E. Voy	160	165	165
L. Seethaler	163	207	173
Total	780	896	827
ST. BONIFACE.			
Harrick	183	193	162
W. Moeller	135	131	135
Damm	127	163	170
Snyder	156	144	159
J. Moeller	116	98	93
Total	867	731	719

The Knockers and Signals of the Liberty Valley league met on the Liberty alleys, with the following result:

Knockers—			
S. Seibel	155	128	149
F. Brennen	139	117	139
J. Seibel	134	118	168
R. Brennen	158	159	184
Lewis	151	140	121
Totals	737	642	761
Signals—			
Doohey	138	120	175
Grib	125	148	115
Lornier	163	178	162
Bowen	106	128	139
Miller	106	120	111
Totals	638	694	702

Vendome lost two games out of three at McKees Rocks last night on the Island avenue alleys. The high score was made by Kunner, 1,902, and Downay made the high average of 156 1-3. Score:

McKees Rocks—			
Burgess	123	186	120
Kurt	90	116	119
Downey	153	162	152
Willis	109	111	122
Kunner	122	192	146
Totals	599	767	659
Vendome—			
Monahan	112	148	110
Heckman	116	156	179
Bath	150	119	148
Dresslan	118	110	93
Casper	118	103	84
Totals	614	636	614

The Millvale Colts last night easily defeated the Mt. Troy bowling teams on the Sirils alleys, Millvale. The scores being easily in Millvale's favor. The high score of 193 was rolled by Boss. Millvale plays the Vendome team on the Wylie avenue alleys Friday evening. Score:

Millvale—			
Ender	156	110	162
Mauer	125	127	141
Happe	134	154	168
Boss	140	133	144
England	147	122	144
Total	702	706	761
Mt. Troy—			
Dinkle	149	121	132
J. Schoeppner	123	136	109
Metz	161	99	154
E. Schoeppner	124	112	110
Hupp	109	128	169
Totals	666	596	663

WILL NOT COACH.

Ex-Captain Waterman Too Busy—Will Marry Pittsburgh Girl.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Cameron Beach Waterman of Detroit, captain of the Yale crew last year, has declined to act as head coach for the coming season. He was offered the position last fall, and has tried hard to shape his affairs so that he could accept. He has just notified Capt. Walter Cross of the crew that he cannot take the task.

He is in the senior class in the Yale Law school, but has outside business matters in hand which will prevent his doing any crew coaching. He will be married early in the summer to a Pittsburgh girl. Capt. Cross says that he has not yet picked a coach.

Dweyers Won from Fayette.

The Dwyer A. C. basketball team defeated the strong Fayette A. C. of Allegheny in an exciting game, 16 to 6. The Dwyer A. C. will play the strong Pennsylvania Five on Saturday at Hanna's hall, 4310 Butler street. Score:

Dwyer A. C.—16.		Fayette—6.
J. Frape	Forward	H. Frape
Daly	Forward	Miller
Criswell	Guard	Maul
Steele	Guard	Diemer
Zumpft	Guard	Bittner

Field goals—Criswell 4, H. Frape, Daly 2, J. Frape, Miller, Diemer. Foul goals—Criswell—2.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

The Little Five added another to its list by defeating the Ralston Juniors.

The Arlingtons would like to hear from all strong 13-year-old teams with halls. Address W. E. Gillespie, 507 Union station, Pittsburgh.

The Columbia council five will line up against the Acorns in the former's hall. Both sides are anxious for the game and a good contest is expected.

The Arlingtons of Allegheny will play the Railroad Juniors tonight at the Railroad Y. M. C. A., corner Washington avenue and Sedgwick street, Allegheny.

The Mt. Oliver Midgets defeated the Duquesne Juniors last night in basketball at Mt. Oliver hall, 14 to 5. The team work of the Midgets was very good.

The Pastimes and St. Peter's gymnasium teams will play tonight on the floor of the St. Peter's gymnasium in the parish building, corner Fifth and Craft avenues.

The Wilmerding Y. M. C. A. second team will have to cancel with the Leithsade of the South Side, as they have a game arranged with H. L. A. C. third team for Friday night.

The Rambler Midgets defeated the Sterling Midgets 20 to 6. The Ramblers would like to hear from all 7 or 8-year-old teams. Address Morris Caplan, 3605 Perrysville avenue.

The Columbia council's team would like to hear from the Nonpareils, Fowler, Bellevue Tigers and Watson Juniors. Address Ben Moses, care Columbia council, 1835 Center avenue.

The Park Midgets of Millvale desire to arrange games with all good 11-12-year-old teams having halls. Address C. E. Wise, care Crucible Steel Company, Ridge avenue and Rebecca street, Allegheny.

The Perrysville Reserves would like to arrange games with all 13 and 14-year old teams having halls for the coming two weeks. Address William S. McGinness, 1947 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

The Nonpareils went to Bellevue and played the Bellevue Tigers and defeated them 14 to 13 in a very rough and interesting game. The Nonpareils had their strongest lineup and were accompanied by a large crowd of rooters.

The La Belles desire to arrange games with all good 14-15-year-old teams. Would like to hear from Bellevue Juniors, Ingram, Perrysville Cay team in the class. Address C. E. Wise, care Crucible Steel Company, Ridge avenue and Rebecca street, Allegheny.

The Duquesne A. C. of Allegheny will go to Carnegie tonight to try and take a fall out of the Eclipse team of that place, and a warm game can be looked for. This game will put the boys from Allegheny in fine trim for their contest with the C. A. C. of Braddock on Friday night.

The Acorns will play the La Belle A. C. at the Foster hall on Saturday night. The Acorns would like to arrange games with all good 14 and 15-year-old teams for Tuesday and Saturday nights, games to be played on the Acorn's floor. Address John Roberts, care of W. G. Johnston, corner Ninth street and Penn avenue, city.

The Sterlings and Alleghenuy Lyceum Juniors will meet Friday evening at Sterlings' hall. The game should be a good one as the Lyceum boys held Sterlings down to 17 points, their lowest score this season. The Lyceum boys are putting up a good game at present and will make things hum for all the junior teams if they keep up their gait. The Sterlings are handicaped by the absence of Lowry who was injured in the game with Pittsburgh Lyceum. It will be some time before he is back in the game. The North Sides will play the Allentown team in the preliminary.

THE CUE EXPERTS SHOW THEIR FORM

Jack Makes the Tourney Interesting by Taking a Game from Poland in Fine Style.

WAS AN EXCITING WIND-UP

The 14-inch balk line tourney at the Great Northern rooms is growing decidedly interesting. Another player to get in the running is Jack, who defeated Poland last night in easy style. Poland has not been playing anything near the game he put up last year, when the display of nerve shown by him sort of terrorized his opponent. He did not seem to know then when he was beaten, but the conditions this year are entirely different. Now he seems to be comparatively easy for every man with whom he plays, and it is only on few occasions that he gives a manifestation of his nerve and his ability to go out after hard shots.

Last night he started off in pretty fair shape, but it only took a few innings to show that he could not keep up the pace. The balls broke badly for him, too, and usually lined up or rolled up in such a manner that it was almost next to impossible for him to score. When he missed he generally left the balls in such a position that Jack could make anything else than knock off a few. Once he did not make any large runs, he having begging away, scoring in small blocks almost every time he came up to the table. At the end of the twentieth inning Poland had a lead of but 6 points, but after this he was never in the running. His fall-down has been a surprise and disappointment to his friends and admirers.

The afternoon game, while a long-drawn-out contest, was an interesting one because of the uncertainty as to who would eventually come out. "Pop" Brown was the lucky individual, and he now stands the leader with four won and one lost. He has only one more game to play, Benne being the only man he has not yet met. At the end of the fifty-fifth inning Miller had overcome the lead of his opponent and had taken it himself by 9 points. This, however, was his last effort, as "Pop" finally won out by 10 points.

The game this afternoon will be between Pintan and Jack while Poland and Powers will meet in the evening. The following is the score of both games:

Afternoon game:

Brown (150)—2, 1, 0, 0, 0, 3, 2, 3, 0, 4, 3, 5, 0, 2, 7, 1, 0, 0, 0, 4, 0, 6, 3, 0, 7, 0, 0, 0, 2, 2, 0, 0, 4, 2, 0, 0, 0, 17, 2, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 3, 0, 3, 0, 0, 2, 0, 0, 1, 0, 10, 2, 0, 3, 0, 5. Total, 150. Highest runs, 22, 17, 17; average, 2 4-13.

Miller (150)—5, 0, 2, 1, 2, 1, 4, 1, 1, 1, 3, 5, 3, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 4, 7, 0, 4, 1, 0, 1, 3, 1, 1, 4, 1, 11, 0, 0, 2, 1, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 7, 0, 2, 2, 2, 0, 10, 4, 5, 3, 3, 3, 1, 0, 2, 0, 0, 3, 1, 0, 1. Total, 140. High runs, 11, 10, 8; average, 2 8-16.

Evening game.

Jack (150)—0, 0, 0, 4, 12, 2, 0, 8, 3, 5, 7, 1, 0, 2, 0, 2, 0, 4, 2, 0, 3, 14, 0, 8, 4, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 17, 1, 0, 0, 0, 10, 7, 0, 0, 0, 0, 2, 0. Total, 150. High runs, 17, 14, 13; average, 3 6-23.

Poland (165)—1, 2, 9, 2, 0, 0, 3, 1, 0, 0, 15, 0, 1, 0, 10, 4, 5, 0, 6, 3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 3, 4, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 2, 0, 6, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 2, 15. Total, 108. High runs, 15, 15; average, 2 2-5.

Referee—A. S. Moreland.

FIGHTERS IN COURT.

Suit Against Jeffries Dismissed. Choynski Will Quit the Ring.

BOSTON, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The suit for $200 for breach of contract brought against Jim Jeffries by E. H. Benton was dismissed in the municipal civil court today.

While Jeffries was in one of the court rooms, Joe Choynski and Kid Carter, who were the principals in last night's bout at the Criterion club and who were arrested on the charge of mutual assault and battery, were chatting with friends in the clerk's office of the municipal criminal court. When their case was called their counsel, Mr. Sweeney, asked for a continuance until tomorrow, which was granted.

According to Choynski, last night's contest will be the last in which he will engage. His wife has induced him to quit the game and he will go into business in Chicago.

The stopping of all boxing bouts in this city and the shutting up of all the so-called athletic clubs backing them is in substance the program laid down by Judge Emmons, chairman of the police commission in a statement issued this morning. According to the chairman, the arrest of Kid Carter and Joe Choynski at the Criterion Athletic club last night is the opening skirmish of a wholesale war on the boxing interest in Boston.

TOOK IN MONTREAL.

Eastern League Circuit Is Now Complete.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The Eastern league circuit committee has awarded the franchise to Montreal, which will be the eighth city in the Eastern league circuit. John Kreitner of Buffalo will finance the club, and will probably associate with some of the local people of Montreal. Mr. Kreitner has given over the club in charge of Charles Atherton of last year's Buffalo club, who will be manager and captain of the team.

The Eastern league circuit committee will have a conference at Providence tomorrow, and it is expected that the Providence club will change ownership. The Eastern league circuit, as it will be made up this season, will take in Jersey City, Newark, Providence and Baltimore in the east, and Montreal, Toronto, Buffalo and Rochester in the west.

SOME QUEER RACING ON NEW ORLEANS TRACK

Favorite Was Left at Post—Two Horses Injured and Had to Be Destroyed.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 20.—All Scarlet, Ascension and Major Mansir were the winning favorites Ascension reducing the six-furlong track record to 1:12 1-5.

Mrs. Frank Foster, the favorite in the first race, was left at the post, and Banana Cream, who finished second in the same event, was disqualified for fouling Miss Hume. All Scarlet was much the best of the 2-year-olds and won all the way. Tioga broke her leg in the fifth race and she was destroyed. Ida Penzance ran into the fence during exercise this morning, and was so badly injured that it was necessary to destroy her. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 6½ furlongs—Neither One, 112, W. Hicks, 12 to 1, won; Banana Cream, 103, Robbins, 8 to 1, finished second and was disqualified for fouling; Miss Hume, 108, Higgins, 4 to 1, second; Miladi Love, 103, Callahan, 15 to 1, third. Time—1:20 2-5.

Second race, 3 furlongs—All Scarlet, 112, W. Hicks, 11 to 10, won; Fair Calypso, 102, Albern, 15 to 1, second; Dancing Nun, 103, Helgesen, 25 to 1, third. Time—38 2-5.

Third race, 6½ furlongs, selling—Ben Howard, 110, Fuller, 3 to 1, won; Emigre, 107, H. Phillips, 10 to 1, second; Sadie, 97, Robbins, 8 to 5, third. Time—1:20 3-5.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Ascension, 107, Fuller, 3 to 5, won; Sadducee, 110, McCafferty, 17 to 1, second; Ben Strong, 90, H. Phillips, 2 to 1, third. Time—1:12 1-5.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Over Again, 110, Higgins, 6 to 1, won; Annie Max, 102, W. Hennessy, 5 to 1, second; Major Johnson, 97, H. Phillips, 12 to 1, third. Time—1:19 2-5.

Sixth race, 1 5-8 miles—Major Mansir, 112, Gannon, 3 to 5, won; Stonewall, 107, F. Fisher, 11 to 1, second; Booster, 105, W. Hennessy, 15 to 1, third. Time—2:49 3-5.

EASTERN RACING DATES.

Jockey Club Stewards Prepare for the Coming Season—Officials Also Are Named.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—At a meeting of the stewards of the Jockey club, held today, the following racing dates were granted for 1904:

Washington Jockey club, Thursday, March 24, to Saturday, April 4; Thursday, November 17, to Saturday, December 3. Queens County Jockey club, Friday, April 15, to Saturday, April 23; November 3 to Tuesday, November 17. Metropolitan Jockey club, Monday, April 25, to Wednesday, May 4; Monday, October 17, to Wednesday, November 2. Westchester Racing association, Thursday, May 5, to Wednesday, May 25; Monday, October 3, to Saturday, October 15. Brooklyn Jockey club, Thursday, May 26, to Wednesday, June 15; Monday, September 19, to Saturday, October 1. Coney Island Jockey club, Thursday, June 16, to Thursday, July 7; Saturday, August 27, to Saturday, September 10. Buffalo Race Racing association, Wednesday, July 6, to Saturday, July 30; Monday, September 12, to September 17. Saratoga association, Monday, August 1, to Friday, August 26. Buffalo Racing association, Monday, June 6, to Saturday, June 28; Saturday, September 3, to Saturday, September 17.

The following racing officials were appointed: Starters, C. J. Fitzgerald and Mars Cassidy; judges, Clarence McDowell and C. H. Fettenglit; handicapper, W. S. Vosburgh; clerk of the course, Col. Clarkmore; timers, W. H. Barretto; paddock and patrol judge, J. L. Hell, and starting judge, H. U. Homan.

FAVORITES BAD DAY.

Not a Public Choice Finished First at Oakland.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 20.—All the favorites went down to defeat today and the 28 bookmakers in line had the better of the argument. The main attraction was the owners handicap, one mile, in which a trio of well-known performers met. Fossil was a 3 to 5 favorite and set the pace, with Claude close up until three furlongs from the finish Claude assumed command and won, pulling up from Fossil. The muddy track prevented fast time in the handicap.

First race, 7 furlongs, selling—Planeur, 94, Hildebrand, 4 to 1, won; Septimo, 98, Foley, 10 to 1, second; Sugden, 103, Bell, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:30½.

Second race, 3½ furlongs—Peggy O'Neil, 107, Larsen, 9 to 5, won; Henry Ach, 113, Burns, even, second; Leidel Liol, 110, J. Martin, 15 to 1, third. Time, :42½.

Third race, 6½ furlongs—Hainault, 104, Kunz, 8 to 5, won; Muresca, 97, Hildebrand, 5 to 1, second; Nervator, 106, Larsen, 7 to 5, third. Time, :1:21.

Fourth race, mile, handicap—Claude, 89, W. Daly, 7 to 2, won; Fossil, 85, Hildebrand, 3 to 5, second; Falcon Bridge, 78, Greenfield, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:41¾.

Fifth race, 1¼ miles—Byronerdale, 90, Kunz, 6 to 1, won; Chickadee, 100, Hildebrand, 8 to 5, second; Expedient, 107, J. Martin, 4 to 1, third. Time, 2:21.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs, purse—Formaster, 105, Wonderly, 2 to 1, won; Dungannon, 100, Foley, 40 to 1, second; Military Man, 112, Larsen, 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:29¾.

SIGNED THE ARTICLES.

Jack McClelland Will Go Twenty Instead of Ten Rounds.

The articles for Jack McClelland's fight with "Kid" Herman, which is to take place at Kansas City one week from today, were received yesterday by James Mason. They call for 20 rounds instead of 10, as was first supposed, and the men must weigh 126 pounds at 3 p. m. Mason sent on $100 forfeit yesterday to Claude Johnson, the stakeholder.

McClelland and his manager will leave here Sunday night and finish up his training there.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACING DATES FOR THE SEASON

Syracuse Made a Hard Fight for Certain Dates, but the Claim Was Not Allowed.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 20.—The annual meeting of the stewards of the Grand circuit of trotting races was held here today and evening. Nearly the entire time of the two sessions was given up to the hearing which followed of the Syracuse (N. Y.) circuit should be started a week earlier so that circuit should partake of the benefits of the crowds which will attend the state fair.

The following dates were decided upon: Detroit, July 18 to 23; Cleveland, July 25 to 30; Buffalo, August 1 to 6; Empire City, August 8 to 13; Brighton Beach, August 15 to 20; Readville, August 22 to 27; Providence, August 29 to September 3; Hartford, September 5 to 10; Syracuse, September 12 to 17; Columbus, O., September 19 to 24; Cincinnati, September 26 to October 1; Memphis, October 17 to 27. Lexington, Ky., is to have two weeks of racing following Cincinnati and preceding Memphis.

The following horsemen represented the several cities: Detroit, D. J. Campau; Cleveland, W. G. Pollock, H. K. Devereaux and G. J. Dietrich; Buffalo, C. R. Bentley; Empire City, Farasey Miller; New York Trotting association, C. N. McCulley, Readville and C. M. Jewett; Providence, A. H. Moone; Hartford and Cincinnati, A. J. Welch; Columbus, H. D. Shepard and F. R. Vault, Springfield, O.; Syracuse, Wm. Deforest Settle; Memphis, Murray Howe.

The schedule of dates adopted does not give Syracuse the time asked for.

SALE OF SENATORS.

Ban Johnson Says Washington Will Have Strong Team.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—President Ban Johnson announced tonight that the deal for the purchase of the stock of the Washington baseball club by local capitalists still hangs fire, but that he looks for a final settlement within the next 10 days.

"I have given Mr. William J. Lambert, attorney for the local club," said Mr. Johnson tonight, "full authority to close present negotiations for the sale of the majority stock of the Washington club to local purchasers, and expect the deal to be consummated within a week or 10 days.

"Until this matter is settled it will be impractical to announce the manager in view nor any plans for next season. No matter what is the outcome of our proposition now under consideration, Washington will have a strong team at all events."

Two Easy Victories for Newman.

After defeating the Friendship five 26 to 7 Newman won from LaBelle by a score of 29 to 8. This makes seven straight victories for the Newmans. Line-up first game:

H. Brown	Forward	Irwin
Gallagher	Forward	Jenkenson
Poole	Center	Henderson
Clune	Guard	Hardtwyer
P. Brown	Guard	Thomas

Goals from field—H. Brown, 4; Gallagher, 4; Poole, 4; Henderson, 2. Goals from foul—H. Brown, 2; Irwin, 3.

Line-up second game:

H. Brown	Forward	Green
Gallagher	Forward	C. Wise
Poole	Center	McDonald
Kealley	Guard	Munn
A. E. Showalter	Guard	Grubb

Goals from field—H. Brown, 6; Gallagher, 4; Poole, 2; Kealley, 2; Green, 2; Wise, 1; Munn, 1. Goals from foul—H. Brown, 1.

Victory for Irving Team.

The Irving seven defeated Library 39 to 0 at Duquesne garden last night.

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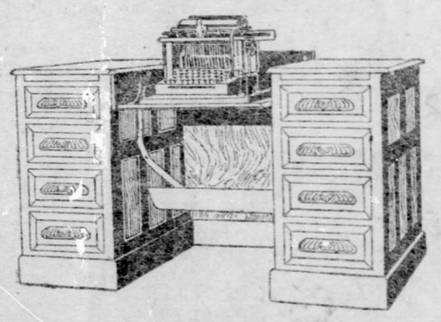

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MAYOR HAS MONEY FOR WHICH THERE IS NO USE

Balance of Over $3,000 in the Local Fund Raised for Butler's Relief—Cash Is Retained for Future Emergencies.

Mayor William B. Hays has $3,067 20 in his custody for which he has no use. This does not mean, however, that he is willing to contribute this sum to any charitable object proposed by any person or organization in need of funds. The sum is the surplus of the money contributed by Pittsburgh people for the relief of the Butler typhoid sufferers.

The Pittsburgh council relief committee held a meeting yesterday. Select Councilman W. D. O'Brien, chairman of the committee, presided, and the mayor made a report of the finances. He stated that $6,000 had been sent to Butler and that the total amount received at his office was $9,067 20, which leaves a balance of $3,067 20.

Burgess W. M. Kennedy of Butler called upon the mayor yesterday afternoon, but could not stay for the committee meeting. The mayor said that the burgess had informed him that no more money was required and that the Butler general relief committee had $3,000 at its disposal for which it had no demand. A letter from Mrs. W. M. Kennedy of Butler, the wife of the burgess, was read. She said that the Red Cross society of Butler, which is independent of the general relief committee, wished to continue the work and asked that the balance in the Pittsburgh fund be sent to the society.

This request was denied, the committee deciding that the money was intended for the use of the general committee in Butler. It was suggested that if Butler needs no more money, as stated by Burgess Kennedy, the balance of $3,067 20 might be kept as a nucleus for another fund in case of some future emergency. Of the $3,000 sent to Butler by Mayor Hays, $5,000 was contributed by Andrew Carnegie.

WAGNER'S TEAM WON.

Dickson Scored Winning Point in an Exciting Game.

One of the fastest games of the season was played at Carnegie last night, when the Big Five took Freedom into camp, 20 to 19. The Wagner brothers were not in the game, or the score might have been larger. Lineup:

Pittsburgh Five—20.		Freedom—19.
Dickson	Forward	Leach
Cline	Forward	West
Lampe	Center	East
Stehle	Guard	Bane
Seibel	Guard	Goettman

Field goals—Dickson 2, Lampe 2, Cline, Stehle, Leach 6, West, Bane 2, Poole, Dickson 8, George. Substitutions—Sauers for Lampe, Skillinger for Cline, George for West, West for East, East for Goettman. Referee—Lockhard; and Mohr.

New Bowling Record.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Jan. 20.—Blazak, a member of the New Castle Bowling league, and one of the crack bowlers of this city, has just established a new local bowling record. In seven straight bowling games in competition he has rolled up a total of 1,416 pins, an average of 208 per game. Jack Hannon of the Tiger team has second honors with 949 pins in five games and Hill is third with 939 pins in five games.

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JURIES BELIEVE THE CONDUCTORS

Two Men, Acquitted of Embezzlement, Use Crowded Cars as a Defense.

RULE ON CONSTRUCTION CO.

Two former street car conductors, charged by the Pittsburgh Railways Company with embezzlement of fares, were acquitted in criminal court yesterday, and another is on trial charged with the same offense. These men are putting in the defense that if fares were missing the crowded condition of the cars is responsible. The juries, in acquitting them, seem to believe the defense is good.

E. H. Markwood, one of the conductors, was charged with failing to ring up 20 fares. He denied this and was found not guilty. William Bell is being tried for embezzling fares. The case will be finished this morning.

H. Roessing, who was on trial all day Tuesday on the charge of embezzling $1 30 in fares while conductor on one of the Allegheny lines, was also acquitted. Roessing was the first conductor to make the defense that crowded cars were responsible for loss of fares. The jury decided he did not take the money, but failed to collect it, if anything was wrong with the detective's count.

Roger Quigley and Ollie Devine were acquitted of entering a building with intent to commit a felony. E. G. Alexander, who conducts a shoe store in Carson street, South Side, was the prosecutor. He alleged that on the night of November 24 the men broke a large plate glass window, 16x7 feet, in his store and robbed a small case in the window containing 20 silver dollars. He also claims they secured $2 additional.

The Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation, Ltd., has filed a petition in the United States circuit court asking that the Duquesne Construction Company be compelled to deposit its books with the clerk of the courts in order that the petitioner may ascertain the amount paid to the construction company's employes. The petition sets forth that the petitioner insured the employes of the construction company, the premium being based on the amount of wages paid. A statement was submitted showing this to be $5,084. The petition alleges that this is not accurate; that the amount is greater, and that the construction company will not permit its books to be examined that a correct account may be made. A rule to show cause why the petition should not be granted was issued.

John LeRoy Weaver and others presented a petition in common pleas court No. 2 asking for the appointment of a receiver for the firm of Cummins & Weaver of Newport. The sensational deaths of both members of the firm by asphyxiation on the morning of January 5 last are recalled by the suit. The petitioner is the administrator of Walter G. Weaver, one of the firm, and the creditors join in asking for a receiver. The court appointed James H. Pitts receiver.

Trouble in Woman's Club.

As the result of trouble among club women, Mrs. C. A. Greene filed suit in common plase court No. 1 yesterday against Mrs. Anna G. Kiefer, Mrs. Marie B. Kramer and Mrs. Annie F. Rafferty. Mrs. Greene demands $5,000 damages, alleging that the defendants in June, 1903, conspired falsely to accuse her of a criminal offense, the writing of a libelous letter concerning members of the club to Mrs. Kifer. She avers that a meeting of the Friday Afternoon club was called at 1124 Fayette street, Allegheny, on Saturday, June 27. She claims that one of the defendants attended the meeting and that all the members of the club heard the accusation that she had written a letter saying defamatory things about members, all of which Mrs. Greene asserts was conspiracy to humiliate her and turn the members against her.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

Jacob W. Singer of Allegheny filed a petition in bankruptcy, giving liabilities of $9,214.51 and assets of $1,658.

Abraham Rosenbuth of Latrobe filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,908.37 and assets of $758.50.

The following executions were issued yesterday: Allehouse Company Ltd. vs. Milton C. Teasdale, $709.40; M. Margolis vs. Nettie Fleming, $200.

Martha Ruserow, by her father, Herman Ruserow, has sued John V. Frank and Christian Denhard, trading as Frank & Denhard, for $5,000 for personal injuries. It is alleged a driver in the firm in collecting empty beer kegs at the place of Frederick Kluger, in Fleming street, Allegheny, threw one over a high board fence separating the pavement from the lot, which fell on the child's head.

CARMINE JURY SHATTERS ALL FORMER RECORDS

The jury in the Biacanio Carmine murder case has evidently made up its mind to wait upon the pleasure of the court. One week has passed and still the 12 men, deliberate or rest, and draw $5 a day for their service to the county. All records for the length of time it requires to arrive at a verdict in a murder case have long since been shattered in this county, and the jury gives evidence of enjoying the novelty of being imprisoned in a narrow jury room with nothing to do but eat, sleep and argue.

THREE MEN ARE CHARGED WITH HIGHWAY ROBBERY

Braddock Citizens Arrested on a Clue Furnished by a Victim.

Policemen Samuel Beam, Samuel Gator and Michael Ondry of Braddock yesterday morning arrested John Duhon, Thomas Navish and Robert Miller and charged them with highway robbery. Duhon, Navish and Miller are each about 23 years old and all are residents of the First ward, Braddock.

The clue that resulted in the arrest was obtained from John Shoecer, a Slav boarding at 1101 River avenue. Shoecer was returning to his boarding house late at night two weeks ago, and when about to open the door three men, each pointing a revolver at him, stepped out of the darkness and demanded his money. He said he had nothing of value in his clothes, but if the robbers would step into the house he would give them $500 for sparing his life. The footpads followed Shoecer into the house, and as soon as the door was closed Shoecer called for assistance to a number of other men in the house, and when the thieves turned to escape he hurled a chair at them and it struck one of the men on the head.

The matter was reported to the police with a good description of the robbers. Duhon, it is said, wore a bandage on his head for several days.

For several months the residents of the First ward, Braddock, have been terrorized by highwaymen. It is said the robbers blackened their faces and would stand up Slavs at the point of a revolver in back alleys in the Slavonic settlement and compel their victims to hand over their valuables. The police were never able to capture the highwaymen, who were always described as being negroes wearing slouch hats.

REALTY MARKET SUFFERS RELAPSE

No Transactions of Importance Were Consummated Yesterday.

CHANGE OF HOMEWOOD LOTS

The real estate market lapsed another period of dullness yesterday after Tuesday's activity. However, there is a pronounced feeling of hopefulness among the dealers and several large deals are expected to be consummated before the end of the present week.

Thomas W. McCune disposed of a property in the Homewood district yesterday to Mary R. Balph. The plot contained three lots, 25x93½ feet, each being improved with a modern dwelling, on the north side of Hermitage street, near Homewood avenue, Twenty-first ward. The consideration was $18,000. McCune acquired the property last Monday from Frank Metcalf, yesterday's deal being but a transfer at the original purchase price.

S. H. Lloyd for Joseph Casey sold to David Lally an improved lot, 23x80 feet, on the east side of Shetland avenue, near Larimer, Twenty-first ward, for $2,150.

Deals in Residences.

Edward Burgess sold to Sarah A. G. Foster an improved lot, 25x126 feet, on the south side of Tacoma street, Thirty-seventh ward. The improvements consist of a two-story and attic brick dwelling and the consideration was $7,500.

Thomas W. McFarland transferred to John McFarland of Clarion an improved lot, 20½x95 feet, on the north side of Trowbridge street, Twenty-third ward, for $4,000.

A lot 24x60 feet, improved with a two-story frame dwelling, in Spring alley, Fifteenth ward, was sold by Anthony Eberly to Heinrich Amend for $2,200.

The building trade still remains in a comatose condition due to labor difficulties. No permits have been issued in either Pittsburgh or Allegheny during the present week.

A. Z. Byers & Co. sold for Thomas H. Grimes, M. D., 45x123 feet, in the southeast corner of Grant and Centennial avenues, Sewickley, for $2,700.

Transfers Recorded.

Seybert W W to J A Bernet, Jan 11, Chartiers twp, 50x217, township road ..... $ 2,500
Seibel August to William Burke, Dec 30, Scott twp, 30x147, Hill alley..... 1,600
Jenkins Robert Jr to William T Pierce, Dec 16, East McKeesport, 33x123, Hawk alley 2,400
McMurray H L to same, Dec 16, East McKeesport, 30x120, Eddy st..... 1,200
Kappler Charles J to same, Dec 16, East McKeesport, 25x75, Hawk alley. 1,200
Seitz Leonard A to Aaron Harter, Dec 30, 2d ward, Allegheny, 30x25, White Oak alley 1,300
Martin Daniel C to Rachel M. Bond, Sept 29, 19th ward, Pittsburgh, 26x107, Mellor st 5,250
Twin City Impt Co to A T Stevenson, Jan 8, 23d ward, Pittsburgh, 19x72, Blair st 2,200
Same to same, Jan 8, 11th ward, Allegheny, 12 Woodlawn terrace..... 7,000
Same to Frank G Adams, Jan 8, 23d ward, Pittsburgh, 19x81, Ladora st.. 1,700
Walker Place Land Co to C P Hippely, Dec 29, 11th ward, Allegheny, 90x139, Verner ave 2,250
Enterprise Land and Impt Co to F W Hornemann, Jan 5, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 30x85, Verona boulevard..... 4,500
Reed Joseph P to Wayland Dupert, Jan 18, 10th ward, Pittsburgh, 44x100, Highland ave 14,000
Chess Rachel to E D Smith, Jan 13, Chartiers twp, 50x121, Crafton ave.. 1,100
McFetridge William to F W Bert, May 8, East Deer twp, 79x85, Ford ave 2,500
Husak George to M F Wolf, May 21, Jefferson twp, 35x140, Locust st.... 2,400
Noakes William to Chauncey Walker, Dec 15, N Fayette, 42 acres..... 3,000
Murphy John to F O Brown, Dec 30, Sheraden, 25x100, Zephyr ave..... 3,500
Bell John A to D J Dutman, Nov 25, Crafton, 60x194, Ridge ave..... 1,375
Miller William S to Harry O House, Jan 2, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 50x235, Northumberland ave 6,500
Murray William J to Harry Tomlofsky, Dec 31, 13th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x100, Mahon ave 2,400
William Small Iron & Steel Co to Brough & Co, March 12, 5th ward, Allegheny, 24x110, Western ave..... 1,800
William D S to Conroy, Prugh & Co, March 3, 5th ward, Allegheny, 24x100, Western ave 1,680
Pierce P J to David Tennant, May 18, Wilkinsburg, 48x100, Meuder st..... 1,350
Merchants Land Co to W H Robinson, Jan 6, Ross twp, 162x150, Ivory ave. 1,500
Ronig R W to E R Conway, July 16, Sheraden, 40x100, Seventh st..... 700
Feicht J W and E Koeppel, Dec 23, Carnegie, 60x113, Mary ave..... 800

QUAY ON COMMITTEE.

He, Knox and Hitchcock May Decide an Indian Dispute.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—The secretary of the interior today sent the senate the memorial of the Dawes commission in relation to the charges made against them by R. C. Adams, attorney for the Delaware Indians in the Cherokee nation, reflecting on the official and personal integrity of the members of the commission in connection with the Delaware segregation of 157,000 acres of land in the Cherokee nation. The commissioners deny all the charges.

A hearing was held at the White House today on the question of the approval of the segregation. Senator Quay, Attorney General Knox, Secretary Hitchcock and others were present.

The president decided that the old segregation should stand as contended for by the Indians until a case now pending in the supreme court of the United States involving this same question had been decided. If the decision is not satisfactory the question is to be left to Senator Quay, Attorney General Knox and Secretary Hitchcock, subject to further appeal to the president.

INDORSED WEBSTER.

Nebraska Republican Committee Favor Him as Roosevelt's Running Mate.

LINCOLN, NEB., Jan. 20.—The Republican committee today decided on Wednesday, May 8, at Lincoln, as the date and place for holding the state convention to select delegates-at-large to Chicago and nominate state officers.

Resolutions were adopted favoring the nomination of President Roosevelt and John L. Webster of Nebraska, for vice president. It was also recommended that the state convention nominate a candidate for United States senator.

PENNSYLVANIA DIRECTORS FOR AN INDIANA ROAD

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—At a meeting of the Terre Haute & Peoria railroad stockholders today the following officers, representing the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's interests, were elected: James McCrea, president; James J. Turner, vice president; George B. Farrington, secretary, Terre Haute; W. G. Phelps, Pittsburgh, assistant secretary, and R. B. Thompson, Terre Haute, treasurer.

VANDERBILT LINES WILL HAVE UNIFORM ACCOUNTING

All of the Vanderbilt lines are preparing to adopt a uniform accounting system with the view of a closer alliance. E. V. W. Rossiter, W. C. Brown and John Curtis, the three vice presidents of the New York Central & Hudson River railroad, have been appointed a committee to take up with each of the affiliated Vanderbilt lines the uniform accounting in every department. These officials arrived here yesterday and spent the day in conference with J. M. Schoonmaker, vice president and general manager of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie. At night they were entertained at a dinner given by Col. Schoonmaker, to which a number of prominent Pittsburghers were invited. They left at 11:30 for Buffalo.

Some time ago a "pooling" system was entered into between the lines whereby the rolling stock would be taken care of and the accounts for such work more expeditiously handled. Permanent committees were organized, composed of motive power officials. The plan has worked with such success that it will become uniform on the entire Vanderbilt system. A new accounting system will also likely be adopted in other departments.

During the day the New York Central vice presidents visited the large shops of the Lake Erie at McKees Rocks, which were formerly owned by Col. Schoonmaker and L. H. Turner, superintendent of motive power. Traffic matters were also taken up with Gen. Supt. J. B. Yohe. The vice presidents have also completed a tour of inspection of the other western Vanderbilt lines.

"There is no truth in the reports about a consolidation of the Vanderbilt lines," said Col. Schoonmaker last night. It has been rumored for some time that the Vanderbilt lines including the Lake Erie would be placed under one head with W. H. Newman as president.

Before leaving last night the visiting officials were entertained at a dinner given by Col. Schoonmaker at his Ellsworth avenue residence. Those who attended were James McCrea, first vice president, and Joseph Wood, second vice president of the Pennsylvania lines; W. P. Schiller, president of the National Tube Company; W. P. Snyder, Ex-Judge J. H. Reed and George T. Oliver.

Maddy Goes Up.

J. H. Maddy, chief clerk to Third Vice President G. L. Potter of the Baltimore & Ohio, has been appointed special agent of the company with headquarters in Baltimore. He will be succeeded by J. W. Coon, who is chief clerk to the general manager. Both men are well known in Pittsburgh.

Lines West Meeting.

E. A. Ford, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines west, has issued a call for a meeting of all the passenger officials under him to be held in St. Louis on Friday and Saturday. Pennsylvania men from 20 states will be present. The world's fair business will be discussed.

Railroad Notes.

R. E. Lawrence, general agent of the Wabash at Wheeling, was in the city Saturday.

H. L. Idleman has been made travelling passenger agent of the St. Paul at New York, vice D. H. Gray.

J. W. Dashiell has been appointed agent of the Baltimore & Ohio at Glenwood to succeed W. Ott, transferred.

S. C. Long, superintendent, and G. W. Snyder, engineer of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania, were in Altoona yesterday in conference with Gen. Supt. Creighton.

H. W. Theis has been appointed travelling freight agent of the Burlington at Philadelphia vice W. F. Swan, resigned. Theis was soliciting agent at Dubuque, Ia.

TRIAL BOARD VERDICTS.

Janitor Smothers Dismissed from the Service—Other Officers Suspended.

Robert Smothers, the colored janitor at the Central police station, was dismissed from the service yesterday by the police trial board on a charge of conduct unbecoming an officer. He is alleged to have taken a fine and $10 from a prisoner to pay a messenger to notify the prisoner's parents. When the telegram was received it was marked "collect." When the prisoner learned this he notified Director Harry Moore. Smothers is also under bail charged with the murder of William J. O'Donnell, who was found dead in his cell on November 1, 1903.

Policeman Thomas Rohan and Corneman Benjamin Bromley were suspended for three months for conduct unbecoming officers. Sergt. C. F. McCullough, of the 8 police station was suspended for three months for neglect of duty. Patrolman Andrew Terry was reduced to substitute patrolman for neglect of duty.

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NICEWANER SENDS PLANS TO MAYOR HARRISON

Superintendent of Highways and Sewers Invents New Theater Curtain.

Edward C. Nicewaner, superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers of the public works department, has become an inventor and expects to obtain a fortune out of a device which he claims was inspired by the great Iroquois theater fire in Chicago. Supt. Nicewaner has invented a new style of asbestos curtain which he claims will prevent any such calamity as occurred in Chicago.

The invention provides for the operation of the curtain by a water motor and the dropping of the curtain by levers located in many parts of the theater, in easy reach of employes. Levers are to be in the wings, office, over the foyer and other points. The inventor has built a model of the curtain, motor and attachments, which has been shipped to Washington where an application for a patent was filed this week. It is sent to Mayor Carter Harrison of Chicago a plan of the device, which he asks a liberal royalty where it is adopted.

WANTS TO SERVE MANY.

Glenwood Minister's Resignation Is Accepted and Good Feeling Prevails.

"I have only one life to give and want to give that to as many people as possible," said the Rev. John M. Gaston, pastor of the Hazelwood Presbyterian church, at a congregational meeting last evening, when a motion was made recommending to the presbytery that the present pastoral relations of the church be dissolved. The minister announced his decision Sunday to accept a call from the Friendship Avenue Presbyterian church of this city.

In the speech last evening he stated further that he left the Hazelwood pastorate with the best of feeling toward everybody in the church and everybody in that vicinity. He will be moderator of the Hazelwood church until a minister is selected for that congregation. He will deliver his closing sermon February 7. His new field is a small congregation, but is in a rapidly growing section.

VINEGAR WAS IMPURE.

Pittsburgh Firm Gets Judgment Against Kentucky Manufacturers.

A civil action, resulting from the failure of a quantity of vinegar to be up to the standard provided in the Pennsylvania pure food laws, was decided in favor of the W. J. Blackwood Company, commission merchants, and judgment for $115 81 was entered against the Price-Lucas Vinegar Company of Louisville, Ky., by Alderman John Groetzinger yesterday.

The plaintiffs averred that during the recent pure food prosecutions one of their customers was fined for selling adulterated vinegar. As the plaintiffs had sold the vinegar believing it to be pure, they paid the fine and costs, amounting to $50 40. The Kentucky company was asked to reimburse them and at the same time take a quantity of vinegar valued at $56 42 off their hands, as it was not up to the standard. Both demands were refused, and the suit followed.

W. HINTON WHITE TO LECTURE.

Allegheny Star Course Promises Good Entertainment Tomorrow Night.

W. Hinton White, the well-known lecturer, has been engaged by the management of the Allegheny Star Course for an illustrated address at the Allegheny Carnegie Music hall tomorrow evening. The course is being conducted by the young men of the Ninth United Presbyterian church of the North Side, its purpose being to clear away the debt on the church. The task has proved quite successful so far this year, $500 having been obtained for the purpose. Some excellent talent has been engaged for the series, of which this is the sixth number.

STUDENTS HUNTED NEGRO, THREATENING LYNCHING

PRINCETON, N. J., Jan. 21.—(Special.)—After an all-day search for the negro who made a brutal assault on Mrs. Frank Applegate last night, a posse of Police Kilfoil and his possemen abandoned the search and returned to Princeton convinced that the negro has made his escape. Among the crowd of many students, members of the football and athletic squads. Feeling among them ran high and threats of lynching the negro if caught were heard.

STRIKERS TAKEN TO SOMERSET.

Injunction is Served on Miners of Myersdale Region.

SOMERSET, PA., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—Sixteen of the 30 strikers arrested at Boswell yesterday were brought to Somerset and committed to jail this morning and six others were brought in this evening. Only three men were arrested today and they will be brought to Somerset tomorrow. The condition of Deputy Saylor, who was shot in the region of the heart, is more critical tonight than at any time. Sheriff Coleman has been serving the injunctions today upon the miners in the Myersdale region.

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The Three Rivers

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Jan. 20.—The stage of the river at the foot of Fifth street marked 10.3 feet and rising slowly. The condition of the harbor did not improve to any extent over night. The ice is just as firm as ever, and the harbor boats are having a strenuous time in delivering what few coal craft there are able to reach. The Adelle and Jim Wood attempted to reach the Mill creek landing today and for a time they stuck at the foot of Fifth street, but the rivermen hardly expect the great gorges at Coney Island and Medco to break tonight, it is said that the thaw last night and today was more pronounced than it has been at any time since the stream blocked. If the weather continues as mild as it was today they believe that the river will clear, and a great deal of the anticipated damage to shipping will be avoided.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; in canal, 4.8 feet; on falls, 2.6 feet; below locks, 12.1 feet.

WHEELING—River, 9 feet 7 inches and falling. Break-up expected.

HUNTINGTON—River, 7 feet 8 inches and rising. No ice.

STEUBENVILLE—River, 10 feet 6 inches and rising fast. River closed.

POINT PLEASANT—River, 5 feet 3 inches and rising.

GALLIPOLIS—River, 5 feet 6 inches and rising. General break-up imminent.

WARREN, PA.—River frozen tight.

OIL CITY—River, 3 feet 8 inches and stationary.

GREENSBORO—River, 7 feet 11 inches and falling. River closed.

PARKERSBURG—River 7 feet and rising. Gorges still holding, but ice is softening. Harbor cleared of ice at the mouth of the Little Kanawha by the use of dynamite.

The state of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 5.2 feet, and the river was rising.

Always be sure to mention that you saw this adv. in The Gazette.

WANTED.

Female Help.

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Brick house, 9 rooms, modern improvements, house built back from street line; front porch, on Chartiers st., Fifth ward, Allegheny.
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9 lots 25x100 each, in Morningside district; wide street and near car line; price $6,000.
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9-room house, with 2 attics, gas range, cemented cellar, front and rear porches, reception hall, hardwood mantels, both gases, electric lights; good bath, tile mantels, French plate mirrors, china closet over dining room mantel; never tenanted. Every modern convenience. Shafer Place and Sylvan walk, Ben Avon, Pa. Rent $50 per month.

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9-room rec. hall, frame, bath, range, H. & C. water; two inside W. C.; both gases, combination chandeliers, front and rear porches; all in good repair; level lot 50x141 ft. to alley; street paved; cement walks; two squares from cars; price $6,000; a bargain.

BELLEVUE

Frame house, 6 rooms and attic, furnace, range, bath and all modern conveniences; front and rear stairs; two porches; h. and c. water; corner lot; one square from cars; this is a decided bargain at $4,500.

BELMAR.

7-room buff brick house, bath, h. and c. water, range, both gases, comb. chandeliers, cabinets, front and rear porches; lot 25x94 ft.; three squares to cars; price $2,700; will take $600 cash and bal. $26 per month.

We have good vacant property well located; also good improved, to exchange for Allegheny improved for residence; would like to hear from parties that have property in Allegheny for exchange; can make good deal, as our party wants residence.
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FOR SALE—Fine general grocery store in good neighborhood; stock and fixtures worth $5,000; rent for store, cellar and stable, $55.00; sell at invoice. Would trade on residence property in the East End, worth from $7,000 to $7,500.
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CANARIES and all kinds of birds, parrots and pets; catalogue free; [illegible]ones. NEW YORK BIRD STORE, 615 Penn ave.

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WE have several late model Remingtons and Smith-Premier typewriters, which will sell cheap. Call or write.
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BAKERY—The leading and best stand of the kind in McKeesport; centrally located; does a business of $600 weekly; large stock of flour and baker's supplies; storeroom 20x75; good ice cream trade; this place will positively clear over $5,000 annually; owner is engaged in other business and will sell for...$5,000

ROOMING HOUSE—Centrally located in Allegheny, near park; rent only $35; 10 rooms, nicely furnished; clearing $70 monthly; here is a good stand at the price.....$400

CONFECTIONERY STORE—Well located in E. E.; good stock and fixtures; 4 living rooms; rent only $20; 2-year lease; owner's wife is sick, and if sold this week will take.....$400

RESTAURANT—Centrally located in the city; 5 living rooms; rent, $20; doing $75 weekly; good cash register, coffee urn and everything complete for business; owner is leaving town, and will refuse no reasonable offer.

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Grocery Store and Meat Market—In the center of McKeesport, Pa.; doing a business of $3,000 per month; long lease. Invoice about $2,500.

Millinery and Ladies' Furnishing Goods Store—On Braddock avenue, Braddock, Pa.; will invoice about $1,200.

Grocery Store—In Fifth avenue, McKeesport, Pa.; doing a business of $600 per month; rent $35.00 per month; long lease; price $7,000.

W. L. SHEETS,
YESTER BUILDING,
M'KEESPORT, PA.

CONFECTIONERY AND GROCERY STORE—East End location; proprietor of this store is sick and it must be sold; five living rooms; rent is only $20; receipts from this store last month were $442.15; this store is an exceptional opportunity and must be sold; price only $375.
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
336 Fourth ave. Office 616 Times Bldg.

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HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
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Restaurant and seven furnished rooms; 2 years' lease from April 1, 1904; doing a business of $50.00 per day. Price $ 000.

I have business places of all kinds for sale or exchange.

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HOTEL in East Pittsburgh; 16 rooms, furnished; all rooms rented; rent very low; four years' lease; good prospects for license to right party. Price $1,000.
BURNETT, BOSSART & CO.,
430 Fourth ave.

Grocery and Confectionery, in Bloomfield; doing nice business; two living rooms; elegant location. This is a bargain. Price $800.
BURNETT, BOSSART & CO.,
430 Fourth ave.

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Grocery store located in McKeesport, Pa., with horse and wagon and all fixtures; doing a good business; price $1,200.

Confectionery store, located on Fifth ave., McKeesport, Pa., near the B. & O. depot; will sell at invoice.

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REAL ESTATE AND BROKERAGE BUSINESS.

As I have business interests in Chicago and must go there at once, I will sell my half interest in Real Estate and Store Brokerage Business. Offices on Fourth did business of $750 last month. Price $600. Address box W 94, The Gazette.

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IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

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25-ton steel foundry ladle.
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1 Lloyd Booth squeezer.
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15-ton electrical traveling crane, 35' 6" span.
2 to 6" pipe threading machine.
1 National double head bolt cutter.
1 bulldozer.
1 emery stand.
2 deep well pumps.
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BOILERS and ENGINES, all sizes.
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Gas and gasoline engines in any sizes from two-horse power up, and for any purpose they can be used. Boilers, steam pumps, power pumps, dynamos, shafting, hangers, pulleys, etc., gasoline and steam hoisting engines. Send for our catalogue of Jacks of all Trades for pumping and general power purposes.
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Derrick, timbers and derricks.
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SQUIRREL HILL MODERN RESIDENCE.

For Sale—Stone and shingle house on corner of two paved streets, 11 rooms and large reception hall; hardwood finish, and floors in first story; all rooms large and cheerful and in perfect condition; instantaneous water heater, furnace, combination chandeliers, artistic mantels. Will sell for $16,000 with lot 50x150 feet, or for $21,000 with lot 100x150 feet.
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For Sale—In Rebecca ave., near Trenton ave., Wilkinsburg, 2-story brick dwelling with bath, natural gas, electric light, 2 furnaces, 2 porches. Property cost owner $6,500, but will sell for $5,500. Terms, $2,400 cash, balance 5 per cent mortgage. Big bargain.
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NICE WILKINSBURG HOME.

For Sale—In Ross ave., near Swissvale st., 2-story brick, 9 rooms, tiled bath, instantaneous water heater, furnace, laundry; house practically new; papered throughout; front and rear stairways. $7,000. Terms, $1,500 cash, balance mortgage.
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For Sale—In Fairmount ave., near Center avenue, roomy, well built, corner ball residence, 12 rooms, every modern comfort; lot 40x150; 20-ft. asphalt paved alley in rear; house now rents for $900 per year. Will sell for $14,000.
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THREE FINE EAST END HOUSES.

For Sale—In Wellesley ave., ideal location, three modern nine-room reception hall houses, all conveniences; lots 36x99 feet. Will sell for $7,000 each or $20,000 for all three.
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BEAUTIFUL EAST END HOME.

For Sale—In Black st., near Negley ave., 12-room center hall residence with three bathrooms and every modern comfort; enclosed porches; lot 50x140 feet. Will sell for $18,000.
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For Sale—At $7,000, nine-room reception hall house in Sheridan ave., near Rodman st. Rents at present for $900 per year.
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IN HEART OF EAST LIBERTY.

For Sale—In Collins ave., near Sinclair st., three-story nine-room brick residence, all conveniences; lot 30x140 feet. Rents for $720 per year; frame dwelling in rear; only $8,000.
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HANDSOME CENTER HALL RESIDENCE.

For Sale—In Center ave., near Four Mile hotel, three-story 12-room center hall house, two bathrooms; instantaneous water heater, both gases, electric light; barnace, cemented cellar, two porches; lot 50x150. Large modern stable with living rooms, call bell, electric light, etc.; 20-foot alley in rear and side driveway.

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For Sale—In Amber st., near Friendship ave., 12-room reception hall residence; four rooms on first floor; four rooms on second floor; hardwood floors in hall and dining room; bathrooms tiled. Possession April 1. Will be finished. $15,000.
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In Wilkinsburg, one of the best residence streets in Wilkinsburg; fine frontage with 2 good residences. Property fronts 12 ft. in Hill ave., and runs back 310 ft. to Maple ave., where frontage is 46 ft. Brick residence is strictly modern, well built and contains 9 large rooms, cemented cellar, laundry, both gases, electric light. Frame residence contains 8 large rooms and attic. Houses rent for $40. Will sell for reasonable price.
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Eight-roomed house and lot 60x120 ft.; good well, grape arbors, stable, fruit of all kinds; also 7-roomed house, lot 60x120 feet; front and rear porches; also 4-roomed house adjoining mill property.

Price for all, $10,850.

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A $425 VOSE piano, used about six months; mahogany case, latest style, $285; this is an exceptional bargain in a standard make piano of undisputed reputation.
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THREE organs at $15 each; 5 organs at $20 each; 7 organs at $25 each; best makes among them; organs costing new from $65 to $150; every instrument delivered in good playing order; terms to suit you.
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A BLUME square piano; tone and action fair; carved legs; only $50; $8 down and $4 per month; cost new, $400.
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SQUARE piano; suitable for a beginner; good playing order. $30 $6 down and $3 per month.
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USED upright piano; value new $300; mahogany case; good condition; only $125.
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Peebles Apartments, Peebles st., near Franklin st. (Wilkinsburg), one flat of 3 rooms and bath; strictly modern; possession at once.
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AN UPWARD TENDENCY IN EASTERN STOCKS

Net Changes Were Small, but the Tone of the Market Continued Firm—New High Records for Wheat and Cotton—Local Stocks Dull.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was some irregularity at the opening of the New York stock market yesterday, but in the majority of instances prices were fractionally higher. Very little attention is now given United States Steel common, but the preferred stock and the sinking fund bonds continue active, and yesterday they were firm within a narrower range of fluctuations. The preferred opened at 58, declined to 57⅝, rallied to 58¼ and closed unchanged for the day at 57¾ bid. The bonds ranged between 74½ at the opening and 74¼ at the close. The better sentiment regarding the outlook for the trade is well maintained. Amalgamated Copper was rather heavy, opening at 50⅝ and selling down to 49¾. The directors of the company are scheduled to meet today to take action on the quarterly dividend, and the street has apparently abandoned the idea of any increase in the rate at this time. The largest advance of the day was scored by United States Realty and Construction preferred, which rose from 40½ to 53½, the final sale. The strength of this stock, following the resignation last week of a number of influential directors, is ascribed to manipulation. It is currently reported that a considerable speculative pool exists in the stock, which got "hung up" last year at higher prices, and it is believed that this pool is manipulating the market for the purpose of liquidating.

Southern Pacific and Missouri Pacific were two of the most active stocks during the early part of the day. The former opened at 49⅝ and advanced to 51 on buying variously ascribed to Rockefeller interests and to insiders. Missouri Pacific opened at 93½, sold off to 92⅜ and recovered to 95⅝ in the closing dealings. Pennsylvania again sold up to 120¾, and closed firmer at 120¼ bid. St. Paul advanced 1 per cent to 145⅝ and closed at the top. There was also good buying of Union Pacific in the latter part of the afternoon. Atchison also recovered its early loss and closed firm. Rock Island was a strong feature, advancing to 24½. The street entertains very diverse opinions regarding this stock, but it is thought that inasmuch as the company is about to sell a block of bonds an effort will be made to make the stock look strong until the bonds transactions have been completed. Reading was firm and about a point higher, but the Erie issues were rather quiet. The market as a whole closed steady to firm.

London was not much of a factor in the dealings, but sold a small amount of stock on balance. There was a conflict between the news relating to the situation in the far east and the movement of foreign government securities. The latter were heavy, and on the London exchange closed ¼ to 1 per cent lower for Russian, Japanese and Spanish bonds, while English consols remained nominally unchanged. The latest foreign advices received before the close of trading in New York was to the effect that Russia had finally decided to make any reasonable concession to Japan to assure peace, and that such announcement was likely to be made to the powers. It is probable that this report had something to do with rallying the market in the final dealings.

Commodity markets were again active and interesting. July cotton rose to 14.62 cents, a new high record, and bulls were aided by the lighter receipts at shipping points. In Chicago May wheat advanced 2⅞ cents to 92½, and closed at the top, the highest price for the option since the Leiter deal. The other options were strong, but the net advance was not so large. The movement is looked upon as an Armour deal, and not entirely based upon legitimate conditions, although dollar wheat is now one of the predictions. The primary receipts of wheat continue large, yesterday's total reaching 785,000 bushels, compared with 542,000 bushels for the corresponding day last year. The export clearances were 321,000 bushels of wheat and 36,000 barrels of flour, which is below the recent average.

Money market conditions remain unchanged. Yesterday's rates on call loans ranged between 1¾ and 2 per cent. The banks continue to gain through subtreasury operations and receipts from the interior, and another large addition to cash and surplus reserve is looked for this week.

On the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday prices were irregular. The largest dealings were again in Pittsburgh Brewing common, which sold to the extent of a little more than 1,000 shares at 22½ to 23, closing at 22¾. Only 10 shares of the preferred changed hands, but the stock closed slightly lower at 48 bid. Crucible Steel was heavy and on the selling of a moderate amount of stock the preferred declined to 27¼. National Fire Proofing common and preferred was also heavy and closed lower. There was a fair degree of activity in Pittsburgh Coal common, which rallied to 11⅝, but the preferred remained dull, selling at 48@48¼, closing at a net gain of ½. Pittsburgh Plate Glass was strong, selling at 115. Philadelphia Company was also firm and higher, closing at 41 bid, an advance of 1½. Manufacturers Light and Heat declined a fraction to 29, while Ohio Fuel closed a shade firmer at 37 bid. There was very little change in the remainder of the list.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday foot up 4,479 shares stock and $9,000 bonds, as follows:

10 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

10 Brewing 23
50 do..... 22⅝
250 do..... 23
50 do..... 22⅝
150 do..... 22⅛
100 do..... 22⅜
100 Fire Proof pf. 92½
55 Fire Proof..... 7⅛
45 do..... 7⅛
45 do..... 7⅛
50 do..... 7⅛
100 Fire Proof..... 7¼
100 Ailey. Val. pf. 24
25 Pgh. Coal pfd. 48
5 do..... 48½
2 do..... 48¾
190 Pgh. Coal..... 11½
100 do..... 11⅝
100 do..... 11⅝
6 Monon. Water. 34½
$1000 Brewing 6s..110½
200 do..... 110¼

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

50 Crucible pfd.. 28
25 do..... 28
475 do..... 28
20 Mfrs. L. & H.. 29
75 do..... 29
100 U. S. Steel.... 11⅜
25 Crucible..... 4
70 do..... 4
136 Pgh. Glass.. 115
20 Brewing 22⅞
75 do..... 22⅞
50 do..... 22⅝
175 do..... 22⅝
25 do..... 22½
5 do..... 22⅝
100 Fire Proof pf. 93½
5 Crucible pfd.. 28

12:30 P. M. to 2 P. M.

20 Brewing 22⅝
5 Crucible pfd.. 28

2 P. M. to 3 P. M.

10 Crucible pfd.. 27½
20 do..... 27½
40 do..... 27½
20 do..... 27¼
20 do..... 27¼
50 Phila. Co..... 40¾
25 do..... 41
25 do..... 41
100 Mfrs. L. & H. 29
20 Electric 24s... 85
15 do..... 85
100 U. S. Steel pf. 57½
5 do..... 57⅝
1 do..... 58
50 do..... 57⅝
5 Riv. Coal pf.. 25
10 Brewing pfd.. 43½

Summary.

Shares.		High.	Low.	Last Sale.	C'ge.
100	Alloy. Val. pf.	24	24	24	+⅛
1085	Brewing	23	22½	22⅝	0
10	Do preferred.	48½	48½	48	−⅛
95	Crucible Co....	4	4	4	0
685	Do preferred.	28	27½	27½	−1⅛
440	Fire Proof.....	7⅛	7	7⅛	−⅛
450	Do preferred.	93½	92⅜	93⅝	−⅛
135	Mfrs. L. & H..	29	29	29	−⅛
5	Monon. Water.	34½	34½	34½	0
110	Ohio Fuel	36⅞	36⅝	36⅞	0
100	Phila. Co.....	41	40¾	41	+⅛
675	Pgh. Coal.....	11⅜	11⅛	11⅜	+⅛
116	Do preferred.	48½	48	48	−⅛
161	Pgh. P. Glass..	115	115	115	+1½
5	River Coal pfd.	25	25	25	0
100	U. S. Steel....	11⅜	11⅛	11⅜	−⅛
150	Do preferred.	57⅝	57⅜	57⅝	0
56	W. Elec. 24s...	85	*84½	84½	−⅛
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BONDS—

$ 10	Brewing 6s....	110½	110⅛	110½	0
2000	St. L. & I. 8s.	96⅝	96⅝	96⅝	−⅛
2000	Phila. Coal 5s.	109½	109	109½	+½
1000	Riv. Coal 6s...	111	111	111	0
$3000					

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

BONDS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Mfrs. Light & Heat	50	28½	29
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	37	
Peoples Pipeage	25		20
Luster Mining	10		10
West. Electric 5s pfd.	50	84⅞	85
Crucible Steel	100	3⅝	4⅛
Do preferred	100	27½	27⅞
Monon. River Coal pfd.	50	24	26
Marsden Co.....	100	2¾	3½
National Fire Proof	50	7	7⅝
Do preferred	50	23½	23⅞
Philadelphia Company	50	41	42
Pgh. Bess. & L. E. R.	50	31	32
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	22⅝	23
Do preferred	50	45	
Pittsburgh Coal ..... Do	100	11½	
Do preferred	100	48¼	48½
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	112	
Pittsburgh Stove & Range	50	3	
Union Switch & Signal	50	62½	
Underground Cable	100		188
BONDS—			
B. K. & P. Traction 5s		113½	
Pgh. McK. & Conn. 1st 5s			92
Monon. River Coal 6s		111	
Philadelphia Company 5s			109½
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s		110½	
Birmingham Traction 5s		112½	

NOTES AND COMMENT.

According to street gossip, between 6,000 and 7,000 shares Pittsburgh Brewing common stock has changed hands this week, been taken over privately by investors. The stock it is said, figured as collateral in loans which were liquidated because of insufficient margins. Instead of throwing the stock upon the market, it was taken over by investors. On the exchange yesterday the stock held steady to firm, and the market closed with a better tone.

The strength in Philadelphia Company was based upon the figures contained in the statement of earnings for December and for the calendar year 1903, which were published in this department yesterday. The other natural gas stocks were dull and rather heavy.

Pittsburgh Coal stocks were not so active yesterday, and in the absence of stock pressing for sale the price advanced fractionally on the filling of small orders. Brokers express the opinion that the liquidation in the stock has about run its course.

The weakness in Crucible Steel preferred was due to nothing else apparently, than the execution of selling orders in a narrow market.

The annual report of the Monongahela River Coal Company, details of which are given elsewhere in this paper, verifies the estimate of net earnings published in The Gazette last week. The amount of coal mined was the largest in the history of the company, and the net earnings, after deducting all fixed charges, depreciation, royalty and full dividends on the preferred stock, were $821,570, equal to 4.6 per cent on the par value of the common stock.

A great deal of interest will be taken in the auction sale of bank stocks to be held in the office of John D. Bailey, 239 Fourth avenue, tomorrow afternoon. The list of stocks includes Prudential Trust, Keystone Bank, Pittsburgh Trust, Colonial Trust and Standard Underground Cable. The public quotations made will be the first on bank and trust company stocks since the suspension of dealings in or quotations on this class of stock on the exchange last October. Since the latter date there has been a general shrinkage in market values of industrials, and the auction prices will serve to show the degree of shrinkage in bank stocks.

On the New York curb market yesterday Northern Securities stock advanced 3¼ per cent to 93¼, but did not hold all the gain. Accompanying the rise was a rumor that the supreme court decision in the case would be handed down next Monday.

The McKeesport Title and Trust Company and the Citizens National Bank of McKeesport clear through the Bank of Pittsburgh, National association.

Cambria Steel directors have declared the regular semi-annual dividend of 1½ per cent, payable February 15.

Southern Pacific was the leader in yesterday's market, the sales reaching 93,200 shares.

The Northern Securities rumor affected the Burlington joint 4s and the Oregon Short Line participating 4s. The United States Steel second 5s and the Rock Island bonds largely overshadowed all the whole bond market. Once or two of the speculative issues showed the effect of profit-taking, but the tone generally was firm. Total sales, par value, $4,570,000.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Amalgamated Copper Company was held on Tuesday, at which, it was said, the dividend question was discussed and the report of the various subsidiary companies for the year 1903 submitted. It is stated that the earnings of the corporation in 1903 were in the neighborhood of $12,000,000.

The Guarantee Title and Trust Company has elected the following board of directors: Samuel McKee, Jr., W. Kerhen, Jr., W. W. Wishart, C. M. Logue, A. C. Overholt, Frederick Davidson, M. S. Salisbury, John H. Wilson, J. D. Hallman, P. W. Kiefer, J. E. Ash, Joseph R. Paul, D. C. Byers, Isaac W. Frank, W. H. Self, Peter Hermes, Emil Winter, John M. Roberts, W. A. McCutcheon, A. M. Moreland, F. J. Torrance, A. H. Boyd, Julian Kennedy, Alexander Wilson, R. S. Smith, John Bindley, T. M. Armstrong, O. H. Childs, W. F. McCook, W. C. Temple, E. E. Baker, J. M. Hastings, W. C. Moreland, W. W. Darley, H. P. Fearer, C. F. Holdship and C. C. Hartman. Mr. Paul was elected president and Messrs. McKee and Bindley vice presidents.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The directors of the Quincy Mining Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of $2 50 per share, payable February 25.

At the present rate of production the different Amalgamated properties are credited as follows: Anaconda, Parrott and Washoe, the ores of which are treated together at the Anaconda smelter, 125,000,000 pounds; Boston & Montana, 55,000,000 pounds; Butte & Boston, 20,000,000 pounds; Colorado, 10,000,000 pounds.

The Boston & Montana Company is shipping to Great Falls daily 5,000 tons of ore, of which 200 tons are high-grade, running 12 to 14 per cent copper. The remainder, 2,700 tons is second class and runs 4 to 5 per cent copper.

Anaconda, Parrott and Washoe ship about 4,800 tons daily to Anaconda, but no estimate can be obtained as to its value.

The cyanide process was first introduced in South Africa, where it is now applied to tailings, but its practicability in application to ores was first demonstrated in this country. This process can be used with profit in all low grade ores where there is no copper present. There is even a large profit in ores containing only $2 of gold to the ton. This fact is working a great change in gold mining. It is, for one thing, putting the business on the basis of a manufacturing industry. It is moreover making abandoned mines profitable, and is, of course, in that way, increasing the output of the yellow metal. For this reason it seems probable that gold mining will be more prominent than ever and investments in mining companies more common.

A receiver has been appointed for the Washington Co-operative Mining Syndicate, and the Montezuma Mining Company. The application for appointment of receiver was filed by Hewitt, Jr., a creditor who alleged that each of the companies owed him $15,000.

Simon Bamberger has been elected president of the Lower Mammoth Company of Utah.

A dividend of two cents a share has been declared by the Rocco-Homestake Company of Nevada.

A letter from Roosevelt, Idaho, says: The Belle of Thunder Mountain Mining and Milling Company has expended about $350,000 in the purchase and development of claims. This is a Pittsburgh corporation, of which C. D. Greenleaf of that city is president. The company owns five claims at the place of principal development, namely: the Apex, Sunnyside, Bare Oak, Holy Terror and Black Bill. It also owns eight claims on Coney and Divide creeks, where on the Rip Van Winkle claim it has a tunnel 175 long, on the Golden Treasure one of 115 feet, on the Golden Pheasant 160 feet. Good showings of ore with fair values were developed in all of these tunnels. On Homer mountain are three claims and on the slopes of Sunnyside creek it has six full claims and four fractions. On Marble creek it owns 11 quarts and five places claims, making 37 in all, not counting the placers.

Superintendent Abbott says there are at least 500,000 tons of ore in sight that will mill from $7 to $10 per ton in gold, and his estimated cost of mining is 75 cents and of milling from 90 cents to $1 per ton.

The company has a 40 stamp mill at the end of the wagon road, and at Nampa it has a 12 machine drill compressor and a 100-horse power boiler. The mill will be erected on Marble creek and the ore will be sent down from the tunnels by an aerial tram one and a fourth miles long.

A power plant for generating electricity to handle the ore and machine drills will be erected eight miles down Marble creek, below the mouth of Cottonwood creek, where a head of water and sufficient fall can be developed for 5,000 horse power.

PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL EXCHANGE.

Sales, 600 shares Thunder Mountain Con. G. & S. M. at $1 20. Closing quotations:

	Bid.	Ask.
Franklin Trust Company	60.00	69.00
Int. Savings & Trust Co	25.00	27.00
Land Title & Trust		38.00
Cosmopolitan National bank		79.00
Diamond National bank	90.00	100.00
Bald Butte	.40	.65
Cons. Mercur (Utah)	.32	.50
Deadwood Gold M. Co	.26	.35
Daly-West, (Utah)	32.00	50.00
Ethel Cons. M. Co	.09	.10
Golconda Cons	.07	.12
Hidden Fortune	.24	.26
Horseshoe M. Co	.10	.15
Liberty Bell G. M. Co	7.70	8.25
N. Y. Grass Valley	.10	
Par Value G. M. Co	.07	.10
Silver King (Utah)	50.00	67.50
Thunder Mountain Cons	1.00	1.20
Tonopah Mining Co		9.25
Tonopah Superior		.85
Trenton Gold M. Co	6.25	7.00
Utah Cons. (Utah)	.70	.85
Verde Grande M. Co	.35	.50
Vindicator Cons. (Col.)	.70	.85
Virginia G. M. Co	.10	.13
Williams Fork M. & M. Co	.07	.07
Dabney Oil Company	.35	.40
Ohio & Ind. Oil (Lessee)	.50	.55
Marconi Wireless	29.00	37.50

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bids.
Allouez	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼
Adventure	3	3	3	2⅞
Black Diamond	1½	*5		1¾
Bingham	22½	23¼	22½	22⅝
Calumet & Arizona	90	90	90	90
Calumet & Bisbee				*7
Calumet & Cochise				*7
Calumet & Hecla	445	445	445	440
Centennial	17	17½	17	17⅝
Calumet & Pgh	120	*25		20
Franklin	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
Junction Dev	11	*15		14
Calumet & Pgh	20	*25		25
La Sup. & Pgh. Dev.	115	*125		115
Majestic	100	*80		
Oscoola	60½	60½	60½	60½
Old Dominion	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼
Pgh. & Duluth	140	*45		45
Trinity	5	5	5	5
Tamarack	190	*195		190
Utah	24½	24½	24	24½
U. S. Mining	20½	22	20½	21½
Victoria				3½
Wolverine	72	72½	72	72
Winona				6¾
Horse Shoe	72	*75		

*Bid. *Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con	.10	Little Chief	.06
Alice	.27	Ontario	6.00
Breece	.30	Ophir	4.50
Brunswick Con	.05	Phoenix	.13
Comstock Tun	.03	Potosi	.25
Con. Cal. & Va	1.10	Savage	.50
Horn Silver	1.65	Sierra Nevada	.75
Iron Silver	1.25	Small Hopes	.20
Leadville Con	.02	Standard	1.60

THE MONEY MARKET.

There is an easier tendency in the local money market, but rates on call and time loans remain unchanged at 5½ and 6 per cent. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$6,581,099	$1,568,234 46
Last week	6,962,355 18	1,965,140 06
Last year	8,750,420 26	1,975,695 29

Foreign Money Market.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Money, 2½@2¾ per cent; the rate for short bills is 2¾ per cent; the rate of discount for three months' bills is 3⅛@3⅜ per cent; consols for money, 87 15-16; consols for account, 88. Money was superabundant and in quiet demand in the market today. Discounts were easy. The increased confidence in the outcome of the far eastern situation, together with the ease of money causing bills to be taken freely. Business on the street exchanges showed material gain, displaying a more certain tone than for some time.

PARIS, Jan. 20.—Three per cent rentes, 97 francs 82½ centimes for the account; exchange on London, 25 francs 16½ centimes for checks.

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—Exchange on London, 20 marks 47 pfgs. for checks; discount rates, short bills, 2¾ per cent; three months' bills, 2¾ per cent.

Banks and Treasury.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the assay office today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $140; total thus paid since Friday, $12,580; against $41,135 for the same period a week ago; total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,080,000; payment by banks to government, $4,755,000; balance on the day's transactions, $341,000, paid by government to banks; total payment by government to banks since Friday, $5,450,000, against $5,864,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $2,820,000 paid by government to banks a year ago.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 reed reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $224,449,729; gold, $88,456,764; silver, $17,678,513; United States notes, $6,546,551; treasury notes of 1890, $41,893; national bank notes, $15,296,592; receipts this day, $1,835,818; total receipts this month, $27,685,359; total receipts this year, $208,625,871; total expenditures this day, $1,730,000; total expenditures this month, $29,370,000; total expenditures this year, $208,781,610; deposits in national banks, $172,563,787.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Money on call, 1¾@2½ per cent; time loans easy; 60 days, 2@3½ per cent; 90 days, 3¼ per cent; six months, 4@4½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 85 25@4 85 30 for demand and at $4 82 25@4 82 50 for 60 days' bills; posted rates, $4 83½@4 86½; commercial bills, $4 82; bar silver, 56½c; Mexican dollars, 44c; government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm.

Foreign Exchange.

The Iron City Trust quotes checks as follows: Sterling, 486.25; francs, 5.17.50; marks, 95.10; kroner, (Austria) 20.57; Dutch florins, 40.40; lire, 5.17.50; silver, 46.25; rubles, 51.50; pesetas (Spain) 15.55; kroner (Scandinavia) 26.75; Hongkong (dollars local currency) 45½; Manila (dollars local currency) 47½.56.

Woman Election Judge Arrested.

DENVER, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Ella J. Caldwell, Herman Kastner and William Barter, who served as election judges or clerks when charter delegates were chosen, have been arrested, charged with violating the election laws.

Reserve Agent Appointed.

The Columbia National bank has been appointed reserve agent for the Farmers National bank, Emlenton, Pa.; Peoples' National bank, Grove City, Pa.; Greenville National bank, Greenville, Pa.; First National bank, Loudonville, Pa.; Merchants National bank, Meadville, Pa.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bids.
11900	A. T. & S. F.	67½	68¾	67½	68¼
600	Do preferred.	83½	84⅜	83½	84⅛
1900	Am. Sug. Ref'g.	124½	125¾	124½	124⅞
	Do preferred.	124	124¾	124	124½
700	Am. Locomotive.	37⅝	37⅞	37⅛	37½
200	Do preferred.	117⅜	117⅜	117⅜	117
900	Am. Car Foundry.	19⅜	19⅜	19⅛	19⅛
100	Do preferred.	92	92	89	89
27400	Amst. Copper....	50⅜	50⅝	49⅝	50
200	A. S. & R. pfd.	90	90	90	89½
	American Ice....	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
	Do preferred.	78	78	78	78
3800	Baltimore & Ohio	80⅝	80⅝	79⅜	80⅜
100	Do preferred.	90⅜	90⅜	90⅜	90
12400	B. Rap. Transit.	39⅝	39⅝	39⅜	39⅜
1900	Canadian Pacific.	117⅝	118	117⅝	117⅞
2400	C. & O. W.	17⅞	17⅞	17⅛	17⅜
1900	Consolidated Gas.	194	194½	193½	193⅝
100	C., C., C. & St. L.	79	79	79	79
2500	C. & Alton.....	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝	73⅝
6900	C. & A.	37	38	37	37⅝
2400	Do preferred.	83½	84½	83⅝	84
600	C. & N. W.	198½	198½	197⅝	197
	Colorado F. & I.	38	38	37	37½
	Corn Product....	20⅝	20⅝	20⅛	20⅛
100	Col. So. 2d pfd.	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜
100	D., L. & W.				270
100	Del. & Hudson....	167½	167½	167	167⅜
11500	Erie	28⅝	28⅝	28	28½
9900	Do 1st pfd.....	69⅜	69⅝	68⅜	68⅞
1500	Do 2d pfd.....	49⅜	49⅝	48⅝	48⅞
100	Gen. Electric....	174½	174½	174½	174
900	Hocking Valley..	74⅜	74⅝	74¼	74
7700	Illinois Central..	132⅜	133⅛	131½	132⅝
200	Iowa Central pfd.	40	40	40	39½
1600	Inter. Paper	11⅝	12⅜	11⅝	12⅜
2700	Do preferred.	60	60⅛	60	60⅛
1600	Louis. & Nash...	108	108⅜	108⅜	108⅛
5500	Manhattan	149⅜	150⅜	149	149⅝
23300	Missouri Pacific	95⅞	96⅝	92⅜	95⅝
1300	M., K. & T. pfd.	41	41	40½	40¾
700	Metropolitan	122⅜	123	122⅜	122⅝
	Do securities....	13⅜	13⅜	13⅛	13
	Mexican Central.	13⅝	13⅝	13⅜	13⅜
500	National Lead....	15⅝	16	15⅝	15⅝
	Nat. Bis. pfd....	101¼	101¼	101¼	101
600	N. Y. Central....	131⅝	131⅝	131⅛	131⅛
*1300	N. J. Central....	162	162	161	161
5600	N. Y., O. & W....	33⅝	34⅛	33⅝	33⅞
3800	Nort. & Western.	57⅝	58⅜	57⅝	58⅛
100	Do preferred....	84	84	84	84
1500	Pacific Mail.....	31	32	31	32
100	Pressed Steel Car.	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼
28100	Penn. R. R.....	119⅜	120⅛	119⅛	120⅛
28100	Reading	44⅝	45⅜	44⅝	45⅛
100	Do 2d pfd.....	82	82	82	81
22400	Rock Island.....	24⅜	24⅝	23⅞	24⅜
4300	Do preferred....	63⅛	63⅝	62⅞	63⅜
200	Republic Iron pfd	45	45	45	45
99200	So. Pacific	49⅝	51	49⅝	50⅞
4900	So. Railway.....	21⅞	21⅞	21⅝	21⅝
1400	Do preferred....	70⅝	70⅝	69⅝	69⅝
28100	St. L. & S. F. 1st	144⅝	145⅝	144	145
800	St. L. & S. W....	15⅛	15⅝	15	15⅛
8200	Do preferred....	34⅝	35⅜	34⅝	35⅛
500	Tenn. Coal & I....	38	38⅝	38	38⅜
2600	Texas Pacific....	20⅝	20⅝	20⅜	20⅜
1000	T., St. L. & W....	27	28	27	28
100	Do preferred....	39	39	39	39
7300	U. S. Steel.....	11⅝	11⅝	11⅜	11⅜
11100	Do preferred....	58	58⅝	57⅝	57⅝
	Do 2d 5s bonds	74⅝	74⅝	74	74⅜
58700	Union Pacific....	79⅝	80¼	79½	80
800	Do preferred....	91	91	90⅝	90⅝
1200	U. S. Rubber....	13⅜	13⅜	13	13
700	Do preferred....	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞	47⅞
	U. S. Realty & C.	41⅜	53⅝	41⅜	53⅝
	Do preferred....	40½	54½	40½	53⅝
500	Wabash	20⅛	20⅝	20⅛	20⅜
3200	Do preferred....	38⅛	38⅝	37⅝	38⅛
400	W. Union Tel....	88	88	87¾	87¾
200	W. & Lake Erie..	18	18	17	17
	Do 1st pfd.....	50⅝	50⅝	50⅝	50
2200	Wiscon. Central..	21⅜	21⅜	21⅛	
2200	Do preferred....	40¾	41	40¾	
	Wheel. & L. E....	4⅞	5	4⅞	5
	Do 1st pfd.....	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
	Do 2d pfd.....	10¼	10¼	10	10

INACTIVE LIST.

700	Amer. Linseed....	19¼	19¾	19¼
110	Do preferred....	28	28	28
1170	Chi. Union Trac..	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
600	Chi. Tyres, Trac..	25	25	25
1625	Do preferred....	25	24¾	24⅝
395	Con. Tobacco pf..	104	106¾	104
1350	Den. & Rio G....	22	22	22
300	Do preferred....	78	78	77½
400	Dist. S. S. & At..	10⅜	10	10⅛
500	Do preferred....	16	16	15⅝
5200	Kan. City & So..	26⅛	26⅜	26⅛
1000	Do preferred....	68⅜	68⅝	68⅜
100	KC., Ft. S. & M.pf	66	66	66
1050	M., St. P. & S.S.M.	97	99⅝	97
150	Do preferred....	125	125	125
1100	M. & St. L.....	18	17⅝	17⅝
2500	Pere Marquette..	79⅜	79	79
3735	Rubber Goods....	19⅜	18⅝	19⅛
976	Do preferred....	79½	79½	79½
400	Sloss	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
900	Twin City	92⅜	91⅞	92⅛
	Union Bag & P....	5⅜	5⅜	
500	Va. Car.-Chem....	29	29	29
400	W. Electric.....	170	170	170

578,250 shares, total.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Elevator....		Inter. Salt, 3s....	40
American Tinplate.	88	Mandhat. Trust....	1¼
Do preferred....	78	Mon. & Ros. Con..	1-16
Amer. Tin Can....	3⅞	New Am. Gas 5s..	105½
Do preferred....	23½	New Orleans Ry..	9
Beef Trust Corp..	2	Rep. State Gas....	2
British Columbia..	2⅜	Do bonds.....	8
Brooklyn Ferry....	1⅝	N. Y. Transit.....	5¾
Central Foundry..	2	Nor. Securities...	93¼
Do preferred....	6	Ohio Electric....	24
Electric Boat.....	18	Do preferred....	70
Electric Vehicle..	45	Royal P. Pow. pf.	90½
Electric Vehicle..	9	Seaboard Air Line.	3¾
Do preferred....	30	Do preferred....	15¾
Greene Con. Cop..	12⅜	Standard Oil.....	661
Havana Com.....	25	Tenn. Copper.....	28½
Do preferred....	58	Trust of Amer....	220
Intl. Mer. Mar....	6	Utah Copper.....	5⅜
Do preferred....	18½	Tonapah	4¼
Inter. Salt	11	White Knob.....	8

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Cement....	7	Phila. Steel pfd..	75
Amer. Railways..	2	Phila. Traction..	92
Cambria Steel....	29⅞	Do preferred....	94
Cambria Iron....	48	Phila. Traction..	87½
Con. Trac., N. J..	64	Phila. & Erie....	49
Do preferred....	94	Phila. Electric...	4⅝
Do preferred....	2½	Reading	45¾
Diamond Steel....	4	Rys. Co. General..	14
Do preferred....	15	Susque. Iron & S..	7
Elec. Co. of Am..	8⅜	Trigg Shipbuilding	2
Elec. Co. of Am..	8⅜	Do preferred....	20
Lehigh Nav.....	64	Union Traction....	41⅜
Lehigh Valley....	57	United Cos. of N.J.	247
Leh. & Wilkes-B..	2	United Gas Imp..

BAR IRON PRICES MAKE ADVANCES

Western Markets Show a Heavy Demand—Scrap Also Very Active.

CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVED

Two encouraging developments have been experienced in the iron and steel market within the past two weeks, and more particularly in the past week. One is the notable rise in the price of bar iron in the western markets. The price now being realized at Chicago is from $3 to $4 a ton higher than the prices ruling at the opening of the month.

The second improvement is the brisk demand for scrap. For months past scrap has been practically unsalable at any price, but recently the demand has picked up remarkably and a ready market at $13 a ton can now be found. This price is for heavy Bessemer melting scrap.

In general throughout the list of finished articles of iron and steel the market shows a steady improvement. Prices are rarely being shaded, there being no doubt at any time of the pool agreements being kept. The orders that are now being received are far more numerous than at the opening of the month and the character of the orders is also improved. They are coming from larger concerns and call for considerable quantities. There is no boom on, nor is any particularly desired. It is the general belief that a more gradual, but entirely healthy recovery is now forecasted by the conditions of the market and the country at large.

Money Easier, Market Brisker.

The continued improvement of the money market is also being reflected in the iron and steel trades. As this improvement becomes more general the orders become more numerous and cover a wider range of articles and of territory. Sentiment, which counts for a very great deal, is beyond doubt the healthiest that has been in evidence for more than six months past, and the belief is accepted that the turning point has been passed for over a month. The present rising market is thought sure to produce buyers.

For billets and pig iron the demand is still limited, but there is more consumption, however, a billet order that will be large inside of a week that is of larger dimensions than any made for months past. The company dealing in billets has postponed purchase until this time in the hope of the price being shaded, it is said, but has found that there is no hope of this. The association price of $21 being strictly adhered to, it is stated, despite reports to the contrary.

Few furnaces except those of the United States Steel Corporation subsidiary companies have resumed. The demand for pig iron has not as yet reached the proportions that justify the production of even half of the furnace capacity. It is stated, also, that the furnace operators are not eager to start their plants while the prices are still under $14, valley. The highest being obtained for Bessemer pig now is said to be $13.75.

The few furnaces that are going into blast are finding that the transportation problem for the coke they need is a serious matter, the movement being exceptionally slow owing to the adverse weather conditions. Stocks at the furnaces are almost exhausted as it is, the prospect of a reduction of price after January 1 resulting in the coke on hand being used before than time. A severe snowstorm now would result in the shutting down of a large proportion of the furnaces that are in operation.

Coke prices are somewhat firmer. There has been an advance of about 20 cents a ton in stock furnace coal. The 72-hour foundry grade of Connellsville coke is still bringing $2.50 without much difficulty, although purchasers insist that they can do a great deal better than that figure on the other grades.

The rail situation has not changed a little during the past week by the effecting of an agreement and the formation of a "pool" by the manufacturers of light rails. A co-operative arrangement has been made with the Pool controlling the standard section output by which the two associations will work in harmony. The first step taken by the light rail makers was to advance the price from $24 to $28 and $29 for the 16 to 40-pound sizes. Prices from now on will be based by the light rail makers on the prices set by the standard sections pool.

Rail Orders Withheld.

Few orders if any are being given by the steam railroads as yet for rails. They do not need them at present and are awaiting the time when they will be necessary, in the expectation that the price will be lowered. This is very doubtful, the matter seeming to be a case of which interest can outwait the other.

The advance in wire has been received as a favorable indication and one likely to act as a tonic for the whole market. The wire industry, thus grown to remarkable proportions in a few years. It is said that its tonnage ranks close to that of rails. There is annually a heavy demand for wire in the spring and this probably accounts for the present raise in the price.

In the hardware market generally conditions are excellent. The movement of goods is better than usual and the spring trade prospects are shown by present inquiries as well as advance orders to be very good.

Revised Quotations.

Below are given quotations in various lines of iron and steel as fixed by recent sales or by trade agreements:

Bessemer pig iron—A ton, $13 15@13 25, valleys.

No. 2 foundry iron—A ton, $13 25@13 50, valleys.

Gray forge—A ton, Pittsburgh, $13 50@13 75.

Billets—Open hearth, $23 00 a ton; Bessemer, $23 00; Pittsburgh, delivery.

Forgings—Common, in large lots, $50 00, delivered at Pittsburgh, in small lots, $52 00 the ton.

Muck bar—The ton, $28 00.

Steel rails—Standard sections, $28 00 a ton for 500-ton and larger lots; $30 00 a ton and $32 00 for less than car lots; small sections, 20 to 40 pounds per yard, $33 00 a gross ton; 16 pound, $24 00; 12-pound, $25 00; 8-pound, $27 00.

Structural shapes—Beams and channels, 3 to 15 inches, $1 00 the 100 pounds; beams, 18, 20 and 24 inches, $1 70; angles, 3 to 6 inches, and over, $1 60.

Steel plates—Tank plates, $1 60 the 100 pounds; flange quality, $1 70; ordinary firebox, $2 80.

Merchant steel—Tire steel, $2 15@2 25 for 100 pounds; spring steel, $2 25@2 35; toe calk, $2 50@2 60. On less than 1,000, these prices are subject to an additional 10 cents on the price for 100 pounds, and not less than 1,000 pounds, 50 cents.

Cold-rolled shafting quotations at 47 per cent off the list in car and larger lots and 42 per cent on less than car lots.

Tin plate—In 100-box and larger lots to recognized jobbers, $3 80 at the mill. To this is added a minimum freight rate of 10 cents per 100 pounds, and not less than 1,000 pounds, 50 cents.

Black and galvanized sheets—Prices range from $2 to the 100 pounds on the 28 gauge, black sheets, bought in 500-bundle and larger lots, in accordance with the usual gauge. Galvanized product ranges from $3 65 on the No. 28 gauge.

Merchant pipe—The new list of discounts issued by the largest producer is given below. It covers carload lots f. o. b. Pittsburgh:

	Steel.		Iron.	
	Black.	Galv.	Black.	Galv.
⅛, ¼ and ⅜-inch	70	60	67	57
½-inch	74	63	70	60
⅝ to 6-inch	77	67	74	64
7 to 12-inch	71	61	68	58

EXTRA STRONG PLAIN ENDS.

	Steel.		Iron.	
	Black.	Galv.	Black.	Galv.
⅛ to S-inch	69	59	65	55

DOUBLE EXTRA STRONG PLAIN ENDS.

	Steel.		Iron.	
	Black.	Galv.	Black.	Galv.
⅛ to S inch	61	51	57	47

Hardware Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished by the Bindley Hardware Company: Wire nails, $4 85 in car lots, $2 00 base, in less than car lots; iron cut nails, $2 20 in car lots, $2 30 base, in less than car lots; plain galvanized wire, $2 05 in car lots, $2 20 base, in less than car lots; galvanized barbed wire, $2 45 in car lots, $2 60 base, in less than car lots; Columbia pocket knives, discount, 35 per cent; Ambidexter, discount 50 per cent; Stevens shotguns and rifles, discount, 25 per cent; Bindley canal shovels, $6 50 per dozen; Great Western flies, discount 70 and 10 per cent; window glass, 90 and 10 per cent from list October 11, 1900, in less than car lots; sheet steel, base, No. 26, $2 85 per 100 pounds; galvanized sheet iron, discount 70 and 10 per cent; sash weights, per ton, $30 00.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Butter—Receipts, 5,167 pkgs; steady; extra creamery, 22c; creamery, common to choice, 15@21c; state dairy, 14@19c; held creamery, 14@19½c. Cheese—Receipts, 5,882 pkgs; steady; state full cream, fancy small colored, September, 12c; late made, 10½c; small white, September, 12c; late made, 10½c; large colored, September, 12c; late made, 10½c; large white, September, 12c; late made, 10c. Eggs—Receipts, 2,414 pkgs; firm; state and Pennsylvania, nearby, average finest, 31c; do seconds to firsts, 28@30c; western extras, 31c; do firsts, 29c; western seconds, 28@28c; refrigerated, 24@27c.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Butter steady; creameries, 15@21c; dairies, 13@19c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 28@27c. Cheese steady, 10@10½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 20.—Butter, fair demand; extra western creamery, 23c; do nearby prints, 27c. Eggs firm, good demand; fresh nearby, 32c at mark; do western, 32c; do southwestern, 31@33c; do southern, 30@31c. Cheese steady; New York full creams, choice to fancy, 11½@11¾c; do fair to good, 10@11c.

SLIGHT WEAKENING NOTED IN PIG IRON

Southern Makers Have Been Shading Prices—Deadlock in Steel Rail Trade Continues.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The Iron Age tomorrow will say:

The latest advices from the leading distributing centers point rather to a slight weakening tendency in the pig iron markets. Some of the southern makers, seeing business going almost entirely to northern producers, are shading their prices. Complaints are coming from many foundries that business is slow with them and they naturally hesitate about additional purchases. Still, the tonnage, almost entirely for the first quarter, is fair.

A number of the leading southern interests continue to work on a plan to harmonize the recent differences and to reach some common ground for prices. Some progress in the movement has been taken by high officials of the United States Steel Corporation, but the inferences drawn therefrom that the corporation is seeking control are ineffective. The officials in question are personally interested in one of the southern companies and have participated in conferences, merely in their private capacity.

In the east there has been a little more demand for basic and low phosphorus pig from the south works, whose business has improved somewhat. The latter has sold at $18 and $18 50 for round lots. There has been some inquiry for foreign ferro-manganese, which has sold lately at $42 and $42 50, delivered.

The deadlock in the steel rail trade continues, but it looks as though the force of the situation will force the makers to give way. The mills, which reroll old steel rails into light sections—a special group of small mills—have come together and have fixed new prices. The large party to this understanding are still selling considerably below the prices named, although the lowest figures made some time since have been withdrawn.

There is a little better feeling in the bar trade east and west, but the sheet trade still shows symptoms of weakness. The tonnage in plates and shapes is better, but while pool prices on these materials are firm, the mill works have an advantage which manufacture bridges and buildings from the stuff made in their own rolling mills. They are making low bids on contracts and getting the business. The result is that the views of the consumer are really being met and their interest is being stimulated. Thus the successful bid on the Cleveland bridge job, for 7,000 tons of structural material, was taken at a low price by a company owning a steel plant rolling mill and bridge shops. The demand for wire products is very heavy under the stimulus of the recent slight advance.

The scrap markets have been quite excited, and the claim is made that in a number of instances consumers' dealers have been forced to cover short sales.

Advices from abroad are to the effect that German steel makers are making very low prices for rail in the international markets, quoting 75 shillings for sheet and tinplate bars, which would be equal to 73 shillings for billets. Our American makers do not appear to be meeting those prices, which would be equivalent to about $14 per ton for billets at Pittsburg. As a matter of fact the leading interest has been declining business offered for delivery during the next few months.

OLD BOARD RE-ELECTED.

International Savings and Trust Stockholders Make No Changes.

The International Savings and Trust Company at the annual election yesterday re-elected the entire old board as follows: J. H. White, W. B. Lupton, W. H. Ewing, Louis Moeser, James L. DeLong, Francis J. Torrance, T. A. Dye, Homer L. Lindsay, J. F. Anderson, Max Rosenbaum, Charles A. Muehlbronner, A. W. Tennant, Hon. H. S. Blatt, Ellwood; I. M. Shannon, Clairton, and A. L. G. Hay, Somerset.

The following officers were re-elected: J. H. White, president; Francis J. Torrance, vice president; T. A. Dye, secretary and treasurer; Joseph T. Horner, assistant treasurer, and W. R. Blatt, assistant secretary.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Cotton spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 14.50c; middling gulf, 14.75c; sales, 332 bales; futures closed steady; January, 14.10c; February, 14.17c; March, 14.30c; April, 14.37c; May, 14.47c; June, 14.52c; July, 14.53c; August, 14.00c; September, 12.68c; October, 11.87c.

NEARLY ALL MARKETS WERE VERY SLOW

Apples Bring Good Prices—Hay Has Weakened—Potatoes Hold Well.

There was a general lull in nearly all markets yesterday. Bad weather had its effect on trading and demands were much below the average for that time in the week. Tropical fruits are firm, but business is reported slow. Continued low temperature has been against trade in this line, but better conditions are looked for in a few days. There is a limited supply of fancy apples and prices are holding up strong. Potatoes are firm at the prices quoted. Coffee and flour are firm and the demand for canner goods and cereals is not diminishing. Poultry is selling at the prices of several weeks ago, with a steady market. Eggs and butter show no change.

Hay, grain and feed was not very active yesterday. Hay showed less strength than for some time. The same was true of all grades of hay, though rye and straw hold up strong. No. 1 timothy was offered at $14 00 per ton and $13 25 bid. Good No. 2 or No. 1 and 2 was offered at $13 50, with no bidders. Choice hay on the Baltimore & Ohio was offered at $14 50 and $13 50 was bid. No. 1 clover was offered at 11½c and also no bidders. Good No. 2 white oats pro-rate offered at 40c and 44c was bid. No. 2 yellow car corn offered at 52c and 53c, but no bids were made, and No. 2 yellow shelled offered at 52c with no bidders.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Projects bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 62 cars hay, 1 cars oats, 12 cars corn, 3 cars feed, 2 cars corn and oats, 1 car straw; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 5 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car corn; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 12 cars hay, 1 car straw, 1 car corn, 1 car oats.

Hay, No. 1 timothy	Rye, No. 2
do No. 2	Mich
do No. 3	White middlings, No.
No. 1 clov.	2, ton
No. 1 mix.	do brown
Loose prices:	Bran, ton
Wheat, No. 2	Wheat, No. 2
red	red
Straw, oat	Corn, No. 2 yellow
do wheat	shelled
No. 2	High mixed, No. 2
Oats, No. 2	No. 2 mix
white	car
do No. 3	
do No. 4	

GROCERIES.

Flour.	do powdered
Fancy spr pat	do pulv
ent	do cubes
Fancy winter	do cut loaf
patent	do coff. A
Straight win	do No. 1 yellow
Bakers' spr	do No. 2 yellow
Rye	do No. 3 yellow
Graham	Beans,
Cornmeal bbl	Navy, N. P.
do ½-lb cotton	Navy, Canada
bags	Red kidney
Rolled Oats bbl	Cal. lima, lb
do bags	Peas, dried
Roasted Coffee.	Split, lb
Rio	do split, lb
Santos	do narrow
Maracaibo	bu
Peaberry	do headlight
Golden Rio	do water
Caracas	white
Standard	do Ohio W. W.
Sugars	150 deg
High gr'd.	do mineral
Molasses fancy	do Elaine
refined	do special
do choice	brands
do open ket.	Rice, ex-fancy
Syrup.	head, lb
Fancy sugar	do fancy
and Cane	Japan
Prime	do choice Caro-
2½-lb cans, doz	line
5-lb cans, doz	Salt, No. 1, bbl
10-lb cans, doz	do No. 1, extra
Maple, gall.	do grain, rock
Oatmeal, bbl	do pocket
Sugar, stn. gran.	do dairy
do bags	Sauer kraut, cask
do 2-lb carton	do bbls
Sugar, 2-lb cot-	do half bbl
ton bags	

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, std. pie	Plums, damson
do pie, gal.	do Calif.
do California	Raspberries
L. C	Gooseberries
do Mary-	Tomatoes,
land	standard
do California	do fancy
Y. F.	do gal.
Corn, fancy	Succotash, 3-lb
do std.	cans
Cherries, Cal.	Baked beans, cans

tomato sc.	Salmon, pink
Chipped beef,	Oysters and clams
Corned beef, 2-lb	do mustards, ¾
cans	do French
do 1-lb cans	

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1	Mackerel, No. 2,
mess, bbl	bbls
do half-bbl	do half bbls
do quar.	do quar. bbls
Mackerel, No. 1	do 20-lb pails
plain, bbl	do 10-lb pails
do half bbls	Lake Herring, 100
do quar. bbls	lbs
do 20-pails	do 50-lb quar
do 10-lb pails	do 10-lb

SEEDS.

Clover from store	Alfalfa
recleaned, 60-lb	Millet
bu., small	Grass, Hungar-
do mam-	ian
moth	do lawn, lb
crimson	do blue, 14-
do white	bu
Dutch	do red top,
Alsike	14-lb bu
	Timothy

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap.,	Raisins, Muscatel,
bags	2 and 4 crown
do 25-lb	do 1-lb boxes
boxes	do Ondara
Apples, bulk, 60-lb bu	Val
do 2-lb car-	do Cal. Val
toons	Currants, cleaned,
Peaches, evap.	bulk, 50-lb
Raspberries	pkgs
Raisins, seeded,	Prunes
1-lb pkgs	Figs, Cal.
	do Turk

PRODUCE.

Potatoes,	hamper
store	do head bb.
do track	Garlic, lb
Jersey sweets,	Carrots, bbl.
boxes	New carrots,
do bbls	do bu
do hamper	Rhubarb, per
No. 1	doz
do No. 2	Cauliflower,
Turnips bbl.	doz
Onions, bbl.	Watercress, doz.
do bulk, bu	Brussels sprouts,
do new, doz	quart
do Spanish,	Florida pep-
crate	toes, 6-basket
do Valencia,	carrier
crate	do bbl
Green onions,	Spinach, bu
New Orleans,	Squash,
Cucumbers,	Hubbard,
hothouse,	bbl
doz	do marrow,
Cabbage,	fat
Danish,	Honey, new
do lb	Parsnips, bbl.
Parsley, doz.	Pumpkins,
Radishes, doz.	Beets, bbl.
Kale, bu	New beets,
Celery, California,	Popcorn, lb
crates	Horseradish,
do, 1-doz	bbl
Lettuce, home,	Egg plant,
doz	hamper
do Arkansas,	Peppers, 6-bas-
basket	ket carriers
do box	per qt
do Florida,	

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up	boneless
Over 14 to 18 lbs	Dry salt sides, extra
Over 10 to 14 lbs	short clears
10 lbs and under	Bellies, 20 to 25
Skinned	lbs
Boneless rolled	do 16 to 20 lbs
California	do under 16 lbs
Shoulders, N. Y.	Dry salt smoked
cut	sides, extra
do skinned	short clears
Breakfast bacon,	Bellies, 20 to 25
ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	lbs
do 10 to 12 lbs	do 16 to 20 lbs
do back strips	do under 16 lbs
do clears, 8 to 10	Lard, pure,
lbs	tierces
do 10 to 12 lbs	

NUTS.

Chestnuts, lb	Italian chestnuts
Filberts	Pecans
Eng. walnuts	Shellbarks,
S. S. almonds	bu
Tarr. almonds	Walnuts
Mixed	Butternuts
Brazil	

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	do Wis. Swiss,
Prints	tubs
Tubs	do 20-lb block Swiss,
Ohio cream	new
Dairy	do Limber-
Country roll	ger
Cheese, N. Y. full	do Brick
cream	Eggs, fresh
do Ohio	candled
do ¾ crm.	do select

Cheese, Ohio	
Swiss	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens	Imp. ptarmigan,
Roosters	pair
Turkeys	do grouse
Live ducks, lb	do partridges
do geese	do black cocks
Dressed hens	Squirrels, pair
Dressed springs	Squab, doz
Roasters	Mallard ducks,
Turkeys, fresh	pair
dressed	do red head
Roosters	pair
Ducks	do teal
Rabbits, pair	do blue bill
Capon, lb	do rudy
No. 1 geese feather	do red head
do ex. live	do canvasback

TROPICAL FRUITS.

Lemons, Mes-	Bananas, 1st
sina	do 2d
do Verdelli	Pineapples,
do fancy	crate
pts	Pears, California,
Limes, per 100	W. Nellis
Oranges, California,	do Chirigeau
navels, per box	Grapefruit,
do Florida	Almeria
do Jamaica,	Grape fruit
box	Red Emperor
Figs, Cal., 10-lb	Figs, Cal., 10-lb
Cocoanuts, bags	cartons

DOMESTIC FRUITS.

Apples, fancy,	Grapes, Catawba
bbl	Cranberries,
do bulk,	box
bbl	do bbl
do choice	

HIDES.

	Green salt or cured
No. 1 green steer,	No. 1 steers
heavy	cow
do Part, under	lbs and cows,
lbs. and cows,	do No. 2
all weights	Cows and light
No. 1 green bulls	No. 1 steers
Calf-skin, No. 1	do No. 2
do No. 2	Calfskin, No. 1

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Pittsburgh Union Stock Yards, Wednesday, January 20, 1904.

Cattle—Supply light; market slow. Choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., $5 10@5 30; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $4 90@4 75; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 35@4 90; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs., $3 40@4 10; heifers, 700 to 1,100 lbs., $2 75@4 10; common to good fat cows, $2 00@3 50; common to good fat bulls, $2 00@3 75; good fresh cows and springers, $40@60; common to fair, $20@35.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply light; market 50 lower. Prime wethers, 100 lbs., $4 40@4 60; good mixed, $4 to 90 lbs., $4 25@4 50; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $3 75@4 10; common, $2 00@2 75; choice lambs, $6 00@6 20; fair to good, $5 50@6 00; common, $3 50@4 00; veal calves, $8 00@8 25; heavy and thin, $4 00@5 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 20 double decks; market slow and 5c lower. Prime heavy, $5 05@5 10; medium, $5 10@5 15; heavy Yorkers, $5 05@5 10; light Yorkers, $5 00@5 10; pigs, $4 70@4 80; roughs, $3 50@4 50.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,500 head, including 100 head southerns; market steady to 10c lower; export and dressed beef steers, $4 20@5 15; fair to good, $3 75@4 15; western fed steers, $3 50@4 20; Stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 10; southern steers, $3 00@4 00; southern cows, $2 00@2 90; native cows, $2 00@4 00; native heifers, $3 50@3 60; bulls, $2 25@3 50; calves, $2 75@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000 head; market steady to 5c lower; top, $4 92½; bulk of sales, $4 80@4 85; heavy, $4 77½@4 92½; packers, $4 55@4 75; pigs and lights, $4 25@4 70. Sheep—Receipts, 4,000 head; market weak to 10c lower; native lambs, $4 50@5 80; western lambs, $4 50@5 60; feeders, $3 50@3 90; western fed yearlings, $4 00@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 00.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,720 head. Good steers firm to 10c higher; medium and common steady; bulls and cows steady to 15c lower. Native steers, $3 75@5 10; bulls, $2 75@4 25; cows, $1 50@3 60. Cables quoted live cattle steady at 11@12c per lb.; dressed weight, sheep steady at 12@12½c; lambs, 14@14½c, dressed weight; refrigerator beef, 7½@10½c per lb. Exports today, 900 cattle; 1,808 sheep, and 6,500 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 472 cattle, and 640 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 631 veals, 200 50c higher; barnyard and little calves steady. Veals, $3 50@5 50; little calves, $3 50@4 00; barnyard and fed calves, $3 00@4 00. City dressed veals firm at 8@13c per lb.; country dressed steady at 7@12c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2,800 head. Sheep steady; lambs firm. Sheep, $3 00@4 50; culls, $2 50; lambs $5 50@6 00; yearlings, $5 00. Hogs—Receipts, 7,987 head. Nominally steady; no sales reported.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The operations of buyers of drygoods show no desire to speculate on merchandise at present prices, but where necessities make themselves apparent buyers are evidently more willing to pay asking prices for spot or nearby deliveries. Manufacturers contend that present quotations are still too low based on the cost of manufacture.

NEW HIGH RECORD MADE IN CHICAGO WHEAT PIT

Great Bread Cereal Steadily Climbing Toward the Dollar Mark.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Wheat climbed steadily toward the $1 mark today. The pit was almost bare of offerings and the market did not require any support from the bull leader. Shorts holding prospects up on themselves. Professional speculators in New York and St. Louis are counted among the principal "shorts." A new high record mark was made for May wheat, 92¼@92¾c, a gain of 2¼c, compared with yesterday. The close was practically at the top. Other grains were offered by the action of wheat, corn closing ⅛@⅜c higher, and oats ⅝c up. Provisions were 2½@5c higher.

The wheat market was feverishly strong from start to finish. The advance today was due largely to the same cause as the rise yesterday, the congested condition of the market, and enormous line of wheat for May delivery being held by the Armour interests. Notwithstanding that aside from the Armour deal the situation seemed bearish, opening prices were firm, May smuggled from a shade lower to 84c higher at 89¾@90¼c. An advance in the price of British consols indicated a more cheerful feeling in regard to the war situation, and the report that where the winter wheat crop had been suffering from drouth was another bear indication. No attention, however, was paid to matters like consols and rain. It was a question of too small a supply for a liberal demand. Trading in the pit all day showed no sign of parting with his holdings, and in consequence smaller holders were encouraged to maintain a firm grip on what wheat they had. Offerings were on that account extremely light and were eagerly sought by belated shorts. The demand was largely for the May delivery. In efforts to cover shorts advanced prices rapidly. Stop loss orders coming out on the rise accelerated the upward tendency. The market continued to gain in strength as the session advanced, and during the last five minutes of trading, it had reached 92¼@92¾c, a gain of 2¾@2¾c. The close was at 92¾c. Primary receipts were 885,000 bushels, against 542,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis and Chicago reported receipts of 450 cars, against 500 cars last week and 329 a year ago.

The corn market was strong throughout the entire session, and closed nearly at the top. May delivery was also made in this pit. There was a large volume of trading, with the principal demand coming from shorts. Higher cables unfavorable weather for the movement, combined to lend strength to wheat, which the bull factors. There was considerable realizing at times, but offerings were readily absorbed. Early opening a shade lower to a shade higher at 49¾@49¾c, and after selling up to 50¾c, closed at 50¾c. Local receipts were 317 cars, none of contract grade.

The strength in wheat and corn sustained oats, which closed with sellers. There was little inclination on the part of bears to sell owing to the fact that the chief bull interests showed no disposition to release his hold on the big line. Cash demand was light and a good cash demand helped to advance prices. May opened a shade lower to a shade higher at 41¾c to 41¾c, advanced to 42¾c and closed at 42¾@42¾c. Local receipts were 117 cars.

Provisions were firm in the face of lower prices at the yards. The strong grain markets were the principal sources of strength. Commission houses and shorts were good buyers of lard, while packers were fair sellers of ribs. Pork was more or less neglected, but closed firm, with May up 5c at $17 25. May lard and ribs were each 2½c higher at $7 20 and $6 70.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 60 cars; corn, 25 cars; oats, 125 cars; hogs, 46,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
May	90¼	92¾	89¾	92¼	90
July	87¾	84¾	83¾	84¾	83¼
Sept.	79¾	80	79¾	79½	79¼
CORN.					
No. 2.					
Jan.	46¼	46¾	46¼	46¾	45¾
May	47¾	50¾	49¾	50¾	49¾
July	48¼	48¾	48	48¾	48¼
OATS.					
No. 2.					
Jan.				39	39
May	41¾	42¾	41¾	42¾	41¾
July	37¾	38¾	37¾	38	37¾
Sept.	33½	33¾	33¼	33¾	33¼
MESS PORK.					
Jan.	12 95	12 95	12 95	12 95	12 95
May	13 17½	13 27½	13 17½	13 25	13 20
LARD.					
Jan.	6 95	7 00	6 95	6 97½	6 95
May	7 17½	7 22	7 17½	7 20	7 17½
July	7 20	7 27½	7 20	7 25	7 23
SHORT RIBS.					
Jan.	6 37½	6 40	6 37½	6 40	6 37½
May	6 67½	6 72½	6 67½	6 70	6 67½
July	6 77½	6 77½	6 77½	6 80	6 77½

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm. No. 3 spring wheat, 78@86c; No. 2 red, 86½@87c. No. 2 corn, 49¾c; No. 2 yellow, 48c. No. 2 oats, 39@39½c; No. 3 white, 37½@41½c. No. 2 rye, 80c. Good feeding barley, 40@42c. Fair to choice malting, 47@56c. No. 1 flaxseed, 91 06; No. 1 northwestern, $1 12½. Prime timothy seed, $1 25. Mess pork, per bbl., $13 05@13 17½. Lard, per 100 lbs., $6 47½; short clear sides (loose), $6 20@6 55; short clear sides (boxed), $6 02½@6 75. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1 27. Clover, contract grade, $11 25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	54,100	20,900
Wheat, bushels	89,400	21,100
Corn, bushels	277,000	227,000
Oats, bushels	353,400	122,500
Rye, bushels	14,800	4,000
Barley, bushels		18,300

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Flour—Receipts, 18,058 bbls; exports, 14,146 bbls; sales, 11,700 pkgs; market was quiet but stronger; winter patents, 4.35@4.65c; winter straights, $4.20@4.35c; Minnesota patent, $4 75@5 00; winter extras, $3 20@3 50; Minnesota bakers, $3 90@4 20; winter low grades, $3 00@3 30. Rye flour firm; fair to good, $3 35@3 45; choice to fancy, $3 50@3 75. Buckwheat flour dull, $2 10@2 25. Cornmeal firm. Grains—Rye firm; No. 2 western, 67c f. o. b. afloat. Barley nominal. Barley malt dull. Wheat—Receipts, 4,875 bu; exports, 7,995 bu; sales, 4,960,000 bu futures; spot firm; No. 2 red, 94c elevator and 95c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1 01¾ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, nominal f. o. b. afloat. Options opened irregular, but at once turned strong on reports of lower crops and a sensational advance in Chicago. They held this all day and, after selling off under bearish Argentine news and strong bull support in Chicago. Closing ⅝@1¼c above Tuesday. Sales included No. 2 red, May, closed 94½@95c; July, 84@84¼c, closed 85c. Corn—Receipts, 27,500 bu; exports, 2,813 bu; sales, 105,000 bu futures; spot firm; No. 2, 56c elevator, 53¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 white, 54½c; No. 3 yellow, 54c. Options were strong and higher on the war scare, firm cables, covering and less favorable weather in the southwest, closing ⅝c net higher. May, 49⅜@49¾c, closed 50¼c; July, 44@44¾c, closed 45¼c. Oats—Receipts, 58,500 bu; spot firm; No. 2, 45c; standard white, 46¼c; No. 3, 43¾c; No. 2 white, 47c; No. 3 white, 46¾c; track white, western, 45½@49c; track white, state, 45½@49c. Options dull.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—Wheat, May, 90¾@91c; July, 85¾c; September, 79¼c, on track, No. 1 hard, 92¼c; No. 1 northern, 90¾@91¼c; No. 2 northern, 88@90c.

DULUTH, Jan. 20.—Wheat, No. 1 hard, May, 92¼c; No. 1 northern, 88¾c; No. 2 northern, 85¾c; May, 86c; July, 85¼c.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 20.—Wheat higher; No. 1 northern, 90@92c; No. 2 northern, 85½@87½c; May, 92¼c bid. Rye higher; No. 1, 67c. Barley steady; No. 2, 48c. Corn steady, 38@39c.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—Wheat higher; No. 2 red, 89@89½c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 43½c; May, 44½c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 36c; May, 41½c; No. 2 white, 41c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—The market for coffee futures opened firm at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points on moderate bull support, influenced somewhat by the strength in sentiment. At first trading was quiet and during the forenoon the market showed a somewhat reactionary tendency under realizing, but later was rallied from Brazilian interests, Wall street and European houses, closing steady at a net advance of 10@15 points. Sales were 105,000 bags, including January at 7.35c; February, 7.40c; May, 7.45@7.50c; April, 7.60c; May, 7.65@7.80c; July, 7.90@8.05c; August, 8.20c; September, 8.15@8.30c; October, 8.25c; December, 8.40c. Spot, rio nominal; fair refining, 3 27-32c; centrifugal 96 test, 3 11-32c; molasses sugar, 2 19-32c; refined dull; crushed, 3.05c; powdered, 4.85c; granulated, 4.85c.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., Jan. 20.—Turpentine firm, 65c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, D, $2 50; E, $2 60; F, $2 70; G, $2 75; H, $3 05; I, $3 10; K, $3 15; M, $3 20; N, $3 25; WG, $4 10; WW, $4 50.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Jan. 20.—Turpentine steady, 64½c. Rosin steady—I, $3.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 20.—Spirits turpentine nothing doing. Rosin firm, $2 35; tar firm, $1 80; crude turpentine firm, $2 50, $4 25, $4 25.

Poker Not American Game.

BERLIN, Jan. 20.—(Special Cable.)—A German historian has now definitely proved that the game of poker, which has always had the reputation of being a characteristic American game, originally came from this country. It is said to be absolutely identical with a game played in Westphalia since the sixteenth century and to have been transplanted by emigrating Westphalians to American soil.

ONE DOLLAR WHEAT IS PREDICTED BY BULLS

Brokers Find Bread from No. 3 Palatable—May 93, Highest Since 1902.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—May wheat on the produce exchange sold at 93c today, which is the highest point since the Armour corner in 1902. The market was strong and active, but was for the most part professional. The bears introduced a new wrinkle that had the effect of causing a slight reaction in the number of grade and the lower grades of wheat. They handed around a number of loaves of bread made out of No. 3 and the other lower grades.

The brokers ate this bread with relish and declared it to be quite palatable. It has always been contended that these grades were not fit for the making of bread. It is believed that this demonstration will result in a broader market for No. 3, and its still more plebeian cousins.

Corn, while less active than yesterday, was strong

SAFE ROBBERIES STILL CONTINUE

Cracksmen Visit Millvale Postoffice, Where Little Booty Is Secured.

GANG'S EXTENSIVE OPERATIONS

The gang of expert safe robbers who have been operating so extensively in the small towns around this city, paid a visit to the Millvale postoffice early yesterday morning, but secured only a few dollars after wrecking a small safe in the office. The town is without police protection, and in the neighborhood of the postoffice in Sheridan street there are no lights. Entrance was effected through a rear window.

The combination knob of the small safe in the office was knocked off and the doors blown open with nitro-glycerin. A tin cash box, containing not more than $10, was taken. It is believed that the robbery was committed about 2 o'clock in the morning. Mrs. Elizabeth Young, who lives over the postoffice, heard a muffled explosion about that hour, but believing it to be a torpedo on the railroad tracks nearby, made no investigation. The robbery was not discovered until yesterday morning, when Postmaster James M. Henderson opened the office.

Postoffice Inspector Frank A. O'Brien made an investigation, but was unable to secure any clues to the cracksmen. The usual "suspicious looking men" are said to have been seen in the vicinity Tuesday.

From all indications the robbery was committed by the same gang that looted the Ambridge postoffice January 5 and broke into the Ft. Wayne railroad stations at Ambridge, Economy and Fair Oaks four nights later. On January 13 the foreign bank of Louis Amshel in Stowe township was looted. The Panhandle railroad station at Bridgeville was robbed on January 16, and two nights later the Pennsylvania railroad station at Latrobe was visited by thieves.

The eight robberies have netted the gang about $400 in cash, stamps and railroad tickets. That the cracksmen are experts is demonstrated in the fact that they have introduced a new method of exploding nitro-glycerin after placing it in the safes. Insulated wires are run to the outside of the building and the explosive set off by means of an electric battery.

Although the postoffice authorities, county detectives and railroad policemen have been working on the cases, the thieves are apparently in no more danger of arrest than they were after the first robbery was committed.

FAMOUS EVANGELISTS ENGAGED TO WORK HERE

Leaders of Religious Campaign Announce Speakers for Central Meetings.

Preachers of national reputation have been engaged to conduct special services during the evangelical campaign in Allegheny county. Dr. J. P. Calhoun, chairman of the central committee of 50, yesterday announced the following evangelists as speakers from February 14 to 28 —Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman for Allegheny; services there during first week will be held in North Avenue Methodist church and second week in the Carnegie Music hall. Dr. W. E. Biederwolf for the downtown district, place of meeting not decided. Dr. L. E. Mumball for East Liberty, in the East Liberty Presbyterian church. Dr. R. A. Walton for the South Side, the services to be conducted the first week in the Union Baptist church and the second week in the Presbyterian church, Twentieth street. Dr. Henry Ostrom for the West End; services to be held in the Methodist church. Dr. Strouse for Lawrenceville, the place not decided. Dr. James B. Ely for Carnegie and Mr. Frederick Schlivirea for general assignments. Tentative arrangements have been made for services in Oakland to be conducted by the Rev. E. F. Hallenbeck.

The campaign will cost about $15,000. It will cover two months and will interest 700 ministers. Letters yesterday were sent out by Dr. Calhoun to each minister of Allegheny county asking for co-operation. The finance committe will meet in the campaign headquarters, Fitzsimons building, Saturday afternoon. The executive committee will meet at the same place Monday at 12:30 p. m., and the general committee will meet at the Young Men's Christian association building Monday at 1:30 p. m.

THE THEATERS.

Attractions Next Week Promise Much Lightness and Frivolity. With One Serious Drama.

"The Red Feather," with Grace Van Studdiford in the leading role, comes to the Nixon theater next week. This latest comic opera, by Reginald DeKoven, has had an extended and successful run at the Lyric theater, New York. Besides Miss Van Studdiford, many favorite performers are in the cast, and Florence Ziegfeld has mounted the production in the lavish manner characteristic of all his enterprises.

The coming to the Alvin next week of the well-known comedian, Ezra Kendall, should prove a theatrical event of more than ordinary importance, for everybody interested in amusements is familiar with Mr. Kendall's unique position on the stage. The actor-humorist is a rare combination, indeed, and yet in Mr. Kendall we find the embodiment of both gifts. Mr. eKndall will present "The Vinegar Buyer" Monday night.

Probably the most gorgeous dramatic spectacle seen in Pittsburgh in a long time will be the production by the Grand Opera House Stock Company. While all the settings have received the most careful attention, the tempest scene in the fifth act will be reproduced by Stage Director Huffman in a manner surpassing in realism any previous storm scene shown at the Grand.

"A Pair of Pinks" is the titular handle of the new vehicle which Ward & Vokes and their merry crew of 55 people have to carry them this season. The big production, with its specialties and beautiful choruses, will come to the Bijou next Monday.

The Empire theater offers next week the Four Cohan's musical comedy, "The Governor's Son," by George M. Cohan, and under the direction of Mr. Fred Niblo. It will be presented and enlivened by a strong cast, superb costumes, new musical numbers and everything that goes to make up a gilt-edge production.

That exceedingly clever and uniquely original individual, Charles T. Aldrich, whose clever performances have placed him in the front rank of popular entertainers, will be at the Avenue family theater next week, heading what gives promise of being one of the best continuous vaudeville bills ever presented by Manager Harry Davis.

The bill at the Duquesne next week will contain the names of more than one head liner. With such clever people as Hal Godfrey and his own company, the Vaides sisters, Nelson and Milledge, Matheys and Ashley, James F. McDonald and Swan and Bambard.

Miner's Bohemian Burlesque Company promise to present a brilliant and novel performance at the Academy next week. The management of this company claims to have discarded all of the time-worn ideas and musty methods of the usual burlesque organization and that the Bohemians' program is modelled on a strictly musical extravaganza.

Thomas Preston Brooke, the bandmaster, who will be at Old City hall the week after next, first conceived the idea of playing exclusive "rag-time" concert and has been making semi-annual tours in all parts of the United States and Canada, playing the syncopated time on all occasions.

NOW SEEKS REVENGE.

Convict Willing to Tell Who Was Responsible for Naturalization Frauds.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20.—Adolph Fein, former vice president of the Hebrew Jefferson club, now a convict in the Missouri penitentiary under a sentence of five years for complicity in the naturalization frauds, appeared before the federal grand jury today. Before entering the grand jury chamber Fein said:

"I'll tell the grand jury who was behind those frauds, and they are big fellows too. When I was indicted my friends said that they would come to the front for me, and I made up my mind to keep my mouth shut, but they deserted me, so I wrote Col. Dyer, the United States district attorney, and told him I would give up everything I knew."

CITY DEMANDS BETTER SERVICE

Allegheny Select Council Authorizes Proceedings Against the Railways Company

MORE CARS MUST BE OPERATED

A fight for better traction service was inaugurated in Allegheny select council yesterday afternoon by the adoption of a resolution authorizing the city solicitor to institute proceedings against the Pittsburgh Railways Company to compel that corporation to make a necessary increase in the number of cars operated on the North Side lines.

So numerous have been the complaints from residents along the Troy Hill, East street and Madison avenue lines that councils took cognizance of them. In compliance with requests from other members of the body Morris Einstein introduced the resolution in the select branch yesterday afternoon with the understanding that similar action will be taken by common councils tonight by either Peter Imhof or John Boyd.

The citizens of the Fourteenth ward held a mass meeting a few nights ago at which William Greenwalt, Charles Beck, Louis Shaffer, William Kuehn and Select Councilman Frederick Tscnume were appointed a committee to present to councils a petition containing over 200 signatures with a demand for favorable action.

The ordinance creating the office of superintendent of detectives, to which Detective T. C. Johnston was to have been appointed, and fixing the salary at $1,800 year, failed to pass at yesterday's meeting for lack of a legal majority.

A resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules, withdrawing and declaring unauthorized the appearance of witnesses for the city in the suit brought in the United States court by Mrs. Victoria Murray for possession of Smoky island. The city does not care to become involved in the case.

A bill was passed authorizing the payment of $1,019 39 to L. A. Thompson & Co. for filling the site of the old dog pound in the Eighth ward for the erection of an addition to the Municipal hospital. The building was never erected on this site because of objections of the property owners in the vicinity, but the work was not stopped until the filling had been done.

The following measures passed finally: Ordinances for the issue of $25,807 worth of bonds for grading, paving and curbing Grand avenue; authorizing the issue of $400,000 worth of judgment fund bonds; changing the grade of Westminster street; authorizing the payment of $2,248 80 to L. E. Maloney for meals furnished patients at the Municipal hospital, granting the West Penn Railroad Company the right to erect piers on River avenue and for a switch from the foot of McFadden street to Herrs island.

Ordinances creating the office of clerk and stenographer to the director of the department of public safety at a salary of $125 per month; authorizing the narrowing of Delaware street to a width of 50 feet, and a resolution to pay Dr. R. G. Burns, city bacteriologist, $250 for extra services during the vaccination crusade.

LUNATIC AND POLICEMAN FIGHT ON HIGH TRESTLE

Policeman James Cohen, assisted by two railroad men, had a 10-minute battle with a crazy man on the Panhandle trestle overlooking Carson street yesterday morning. The insane man was Patrick O'Donnell, who, in custody of his brother, was being taken from Scranton to a sanitarium in Athens, O. He escaped from the train at the Birmingham station and started along the tracks toward the bridge over the Monongahela river. He was overtaken, subdued after a hard fight and sent to the South Side police station, where he will be detained until arrangements can be made to continue the journey.

"Shut your eyes, open your mouth and see what luck will bring you."

The mother smiles at the childish game, and doesn't realize that it is a game she as a woman has perhaps played for a great many years.

Many a woman is weak and sick, nervous and discouraged. She suffers from headache, backache and other ills. She wants to be well, but all she does is to shut her eyes and open her mouth for medicine and trust to luck for results. She "doctors" month after month, often year after year, in this same blind, hap-hazard fashion, and receives no permanent benefit.

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"My disease was displacement and ulceration of the uterus, and I was in a terrible condition with pain and weakness and had given up all hopes of ever being well again," writes Mrs. Harry A. Brown, of Orono, Penobscot Co., Me. "Had doctored with four different doctors within four months, and instead of getting better was growing weaker all the time. I decided to try your 'Favorite Prescription,' 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and 'Pleasant Pellets,' as I had heard of the many cures resulting from their use. I bought five bottles and felt so much better after taking them that I kept on until I am as well as ever in my life, and to Dr. Pierce all the praise is due. I cannot say enough in favor of his medicines. Before I began taking your medicines I only weighed one hundred and twenty pounds. I now weigh one hundred and sixty pounds. I gained forty pounds in six months. I shall doctor no more with home doctors, as it is only waste of money. I am now in perfect health, thanks to Dr. Pierce."

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I Like You, Lil, For Fair — Dan W. Quinn. Disc 7 and 10 inch, 1624. Cylinder, 32335.

Tough song from the new musical comedy by George Ade, "Peggy From Paris." Bowery dialect. The story of the surrender of a youth who thought himself proof against woman's wile. Very musical and very funny.

"Lil, I like you, Lil, I do,
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FOURTH AVENUE AND WOOD STREET

JUSTICE FOR THE JEW

By MAX NORDAU

The famous author of "Degeneration" and "Conventional Lies of Our Civilization," himself a Jew and a prominent leader in the Zionist movement, gives his view of the Jewish problem in a pregnant and thoughtful article, which will appear next Sunday in

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THE SUNDAY GAZETTE

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OFFICIAL—CLAIRTON.

NOTICE is hereby given that on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1904, an ordinance providing for the vacation of a portion of Chestnut alley in the borough of Clairton was introduced before the council of said borough, and that after due legal notice and the period of thirty days required by law the same shall be presented to said council for final disposition and passage, which said ordinance is as follows:

An Ordinance to Vacate a Portion of Chestnut Alley in the Borough of Clairton.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the borough of Clairton in council assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that that portion of Chestnut alley in the said borough of Clairton extending from the eastern boundary line of Third street in the said borough eastwardly for a distance of two hundred thirty (230) feet to a line ten (10) feet west from the line connecting the eastern boundary line of lots Nos. 2313 and 2329 be and the same is hereby vacated. The portion of said alley hereby vacated being shown and described and marked in red in the plan attached to this ordinance.

Section 2. The vacation provided for in this ordinance shall only become operative when the St. Clair Improvement Company shall by writing, file with the clerk of the council of the said borough of Clairton, dedicate for use as public alleys of this borough a strip of land from the easterly side of lot No. 2318 in said plan ten feet in width and extending from Chestnut alley southwardly to Waddell avenue, and a strip of land from the easterly side of lot No. 2329 in said plan ten (10) feet in width, and extending southwardly from said Chestnut alley to Large avenue; said alleys intended to be dedicated being also shown and marked in red on the plan attached to this ordinance.

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with any of the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted in council assembled this ..... day of ....., 1904.

..... President of Council.

Attested:

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Clerk of Council.

Examined and approved by me this ..... day of ....., 1904.

..... Burgess.

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Main Line Express, daily	8:00 a. m.
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Harrisburg Mail, daily	12:45 p. m.
Harrisburg Express, daily	4:50 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily	4:55 p. m.
Eastern Express, daily	7:10 p. m.
Fast Line, daily	9:00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only	10:00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily, Sleeping cars for Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, no coaches	10.00 p. m.

For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. daily.

For Oil City, 9:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 5:05 and 11:00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week-days.

For Du Bois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 8:00 a. m. and 9:00 p. m. daily. "Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:00, 8:25 a. m., 12:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days, and 4:45 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:35 a. m. and 4:50 p. m. week days. For Brownsville only, 8:05, 8:25 a. m., 5:05, 9:25, 6:40 and 11:35 p. m. week-days, 7:00, 9:25 a. m. and 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m. Sundays. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Fairchance, 8:05, 8:25, 10:35 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:30 (5:25 Monongahela City), 6:40 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:25 a. m., 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY CITY.

For Butler, 6:50, 8:00 a. m., 5:00, 5:19 and 8:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:03 a. m., 9:33 p. m.

The Exchange Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 360 Fifth avenue, corner Fourth avenue and Try street and Union station.

W. W. ATTERBURY, General Manager. J. R. WOOD, Pass'r Traf. Mgr. W. BOYD, General Passenger Agent.

BESSEMER & LAKE ERIE R. R.

Schedule in effect September 13, 1903. Trains leave B. & O. depot, Allegheny (Eastern Standard time), for Conneaut, O.; Erie, Girard, Meadville and Conneaut Lake at 8:15 a. m. and 1:15 p. m. for Greenville, Mercer, Grove City and Kelster at 8:15 a. m., 1:15 and 3:00 p. m. All trains daily except Sunday. E. D. COMSTOCK, G. P. A., Pittsburgh, Pa.

RAILROADS.

Pittsburgh Union Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

By Central Standard Time.

TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	* 1.10 am	* 1.40 am
Chicago, Cleveland and Toledo	* 2.15 am	* 2.50 am
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	* 4.50 am	* 6.20 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 7.50 am	* 7.40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 8.00 am	* 4.25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 8.00 am	† 6.45 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	† 8.45 pm	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Crestline	† 8.45 am	† 1.30 pm
Alliance	† 8.00 am	†11.00 pm
Jamestown and Youngstown	* 8.30 am	* 1.00 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	* 6.30 am	* 5.15 pm
Oil Valley Express	* 6.45 am	* 8.30 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 11.00 am	* 6.30 pm
Tiffin and Toledo	* 1.00 am	* 6.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 7.30 am	* 4.25 pm
The Forest City Special	* 8.00 am	* 2.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.45 pm
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 8.00 am	* 8.15 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 11.05 am	*10.55 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 8.05 am	* 5.55 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 3.05 am	*10.55 am
The Toledo Special	*12.00 a'n	* 7.15 pm
Columbus and Chicago	*12.05 pm	* 2.00 pm
Youngstown and Jamestown	*12.35 pm	* 8.50 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	*12.55 pm	* 8.50 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 1.35 pm	* 7.25 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.05 pm	*10.50 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.30 pm	* 1.50 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 4.30 pm	* 1.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4.30 pm	* 1.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4.30 pm	* 1.40 am
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 5.10 pm	* 3.10 am
New Castle and Jamestown	* 5.25 pm	* 2.05 am
The Chicago Special	* 6.30 pm	* 7.40 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 7.35 pm	* 6.50 am
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.30 pm	* 6.00 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.30 pm	* 6.20 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 8.00 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8.30 pm	* 6.55 am
Mercer and Oil City and New Castle	*10.40 pm	* 6.30 am
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 8.45 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., 6.00 am, 12.30 am, 3.00 am, 4.00 pm, 5.15 pm, 6.30 pm, 8.10 pm, 10.15 pm, 10.30 pm, 11.30 pm. Leave for Wheeling, 6.45 am, *8.30 am, 11.00 am, 12.30 pm, *4.15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, 12.55 am, 12.30 pm, *4.22 pm, †10.55 pm, 11.35 am.

Leave for Bernhoro, *5.40 am, 12.30 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, 12.55 pm.

*Every day. †Week days only. ‡Sundays only.

Time tables, rates, tickets and sleeping car space may be obtained at 360 Fifth avenue, corner Smithfield street; at Union station, Pittsburgh, and at Fort Wayne station, Allegheny.

G. M. PECK, General Manager. E. A. FORD, General Pass'r Agt.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD.

(Eastern Standard Time.

Leaves Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom	* 6:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connellsv., & Mt. Pleas.	† 9:00 am	† 4:15 pm
Wash., Balt. & New York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Cum's, Un'tn & Fairm't.	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Cumb. Wash. & Balt.	* 1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
West Newton Accom.	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Con'lv., Un'tn, Morgant.	† 1:30 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleas't.	† 1:30 pm	† 2:45 pm
Connellsville Accom.	4:00 pm	† 3:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and West Newton	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia and New York (Duquesne Lim.)	† 6:30 pm	† 9:15 am
West Newton Accom.	† 6:40 pm	† 1:20 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.	* 9:00 pm	* 7:00 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:00 am	*10:35 am
Col., Chi. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 am
Whg., Zanesv. & Col. Ac.	† 1:05 pm	† 4:02 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4:20 pm	* 6:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Whg. Ac.	† 5:30 pm	† 8:45 am
Col., Chi. & St. L. Ex.	* 5:30 pm	* 7:35 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Youngst	* 7:00 am	* 8:15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 2:05 pm	*12:10 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:00 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	* 7:30 am	† 7:55 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
Butler, Greenville, Erie	† 8:15 am	† 1:25 pm
Butler	†10:45 am	† 9:40 am
Butler, Greenville, Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 3:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Ellwood, Greenville	3:00 pm	† 1:00 pm
Butler, Ellwood, N. Castle	5:20 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler	† 6:15 pm	† 5:10 pm
Ellwood and New Castle	† 6:15 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler	*11:30 pm	† 7:20 pm

*Daily. †Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

PITTSBURGH & LAKE ERIE R. R.

CLEVELAND SHORT LINE.

Schedule in effect Nov. 22, 1903.

CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7:00 am	* 6:20 pm
Youngst'n and Cley. Mail	* 8:25 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	* 9:25 am	* 7:15 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	*12:50 pm	* 6:30 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	* 5:00 pm	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	*12:50 pm
Boston Special	* 3:00 pm	* 6:25 am
New York and Detroit "Flyer"	† 6:50 pm	†11:15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:00 pm	* 6:25 am
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Accom.	† 5:30 am	† 9:40 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 6:40 am	† 5:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9:00 am	† 9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	†12:10 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3:30 pm	†12:30 pm
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:30 pm
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Brownsville Accom.	† 6:10 am	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
McKeesp't & Brownsville	†11:50 am	†12:40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 5:30 pm	† 4:30 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 5:29 pm	† 3:45 pm

P., C. & Y. trains for Carnegie, Beadling and Beechmont, †5.30 a. m., †10.15 a. m.

*Daily. †Daily, except Sunday. ‡Sunday only.

‖Notice—Daily train (Sunday, Youngstown only).

City ticket office, 357 Fifth ave., Park Bldg.

J. E. YOHE, Gen. Supt. L. A. ROBISON, Gen. Pass. Agent. Pittsburgh, Pa.